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The Morning Star.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Friends of THE MORNING STAR will do us a favor by informing us of any failure on the part of newsdealers, or newsboys on railroad trains, to meet the public demand for copies of this paper.

OUTLINES.

International troops have restored order in Candia; it is estimated 200 persons were killed in the rioting. —— The bodies of Cadet Thos. H. Wheeler and Lieut. N. D. Kirkpatrick, drowned at Camp Wikoff, were washed up on the beach yesterday. —— Chinese in the Hawaiian islands petition for the same privileges given to other residents of the community. —— Quarantine restrictions do not prevent persons passing through or entering New Orleans or Shreveport, La. —— General Miles arrived in Washington; he did not call at the White House; will resume his duties at the War Department and pay his respects to the President at an early opportunity. — General Shafter has been called to Washington; the President desires to see him and talk about the Santiago campaign. —— New York markets: Money on call firm at 2½@3½ per cent., last loan being at 3 per cent.; cotton steady—middling uplands 5 13-16c; flour dull except for old spring patents and bakers; wheat—spot firm; No. 2 red 69c; corn—spot steady; No. 2 36c; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm at 31½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 8.

Temperature: 8 A.M., 70 deg.; 8 P.M. 66 deg.; maximum, 71 deg.; minimum 77 deg.; mean, 69 deg.

Rainfall for the day, T. rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .26.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

For the twenty-four hours ended at 8 A. M. yesterday:

Generally heavy rains and decidedly cooler weather prevailed over most of the cotton belt. The temperature is ten degrees lower than on yesterday morning in all sections, except on the immediate Atlantic coast. The following heavy precipitation (in inches) was reported: Millen, Ga., 1.76; Quitman, Ga., 1.70; Way Cross, Ga., 2.30. Macon, Ga., 3.10; Rome, Ga., 2.80; West Point, Ga., 2.20; Blackville, S. C., 2.22; Union Point, Ga., 2.20; Florence, S. C., 1.75; Lumberton, N. C., 2.66.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The storm central over the upper Lake region this morning has moved rapidly off up the St. Lawrence valley, giving way to an extensive area of high pressure which now covers the entire northwest. The pressure remains high in the middle and North Atlantic States, and is comparatively low in the southwest and middle Gulf coast. Cloudy weather and rain continues in the southeast, with much lower temperature. It is also much cooler in the northwest sections, where another cool wave is moving in over the country. Excepting the southeast the weather is clear and slightly warmer in the interior and lower Lake region. Heavy rains have occurred in Georgia and Florida and light showers elsewhere in the southeast and in the upper Lake sections. Port Eads, La., reports a maximum wind velocity of 30 miles from the northeast.

Stage of water in the river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 12.5 feet and rising.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

Showers; continued low temperature; northeast to east winds.

Port Almanac—Sept. 9,

Sun Rises	5.37 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.16 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 39 M.
High Water at Southport	2.51 P. M.
High Water, Wilmington	5.21 P. M.

A German professor says we are all descended from fishes. No particular reference to the codfish aristocracy of this country.

A Russian princess wears a diamond necklace made in the form of a snake, which apparently moves when she breathes, and is the envy of all the other princesses.

A farmer near Fredricksburg, Va., who has been experimenting in sugar beet culture, has succeeded in producing thirty tons per acre, which, if there was a sugar factoy near, would be worth $4 a ton.

A monster shark performing around Staten Island, New York, grabbed a divinity student, who was also performing there, but dropped him. Some divinity students have the reputation of being pretty tough customers.

Hon. Hoke Smith, of Georgia, has a namesake running for office in Pennsylvania. He is running on wheels, that is he is making his canvass on a bicycle, rigged up with accommodations for clothing, cigars and eceteras.

It is said that Col. W. J. Bryan is anxious to be mustered out. Quite likely. Mr. Bryan is like a good many other men who volunteered, who were willing to fight but are not hankering to garrison towns in Cuba, Porto Rico, the Philippines, or any where else.

It is said that there are now in Havana 30,000 people suffering for food, and yet when Clara Barton went there with her relief ship, brutal Blanco would not permit the provisions to be landed without paying custom duty, and fined her $500 for alleged infractions of harbor regulations.

Horse sense was illustrated some time ago, when a California man drove nine horses a distance of 300 miles and sold them. A short while after those nine horses came back home, having escaped from the pasture in which they were put and found their way back by themselves.

A young rough in New York was fined ten dollars for smashing some rotten eggs on a Chinese laundryman's wash. If he had made John a present of those eggs he would have saved his ten dollars and put the Mongolian under obligations.

The late W. E. Gladstone carried his dislike to show to the last. A clause in his will reads: "On no account shall a laudatory inscription be placed over me." His name is inscription enough.

A Kansas man was recently sent for six years to the penitentiary for stealing a pair of trousers. This shows that there are some Kansas Judges who value trousers.

There are six factories now in this country prepared to make smokeless powder. It is costly, about 80 cents a pound, but we must have it.

Andree, the Arctic balloonist, has been found again, but the trouble with Andree is that he will not stay found.

The late W. E. Gladstone left an estate worth $300,000 and a will with 2,000 words.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

D. O'Connor—For rent.
Notice—To all persons interested.
Opera House—Vaught Comedy Co.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Wanted—Book compositors.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. E. F. Greer, of Southport, was in the city yesterday.

— Miss Sallie Hines, of Faison, is visiting Mrs. P. Heinsberger, Jr.

— Dr. Geo. F. Lucas, of Currie, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

— Mr. Augustus McNair, of Maxton, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

— Mr. Geo. H. Currie, of Clarkton, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

— Editor C. Ed Taylor, of Southport, was a welcome visitor to the STAR office last night.

— Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilder, have just returned from a visit to Saluda and Asheville.

— Mr. J. W. S. Robinson, of Delta, was here yesterday, calling on the wholesale merchants.

— Messrs. Clarence and Courtland Curtis, of Southport, arrived yesterday, going to Chapel Hill.

— Mrs. A. M. Scales has returned to her home in Greensboro, after several weeks spent with her father, Col. Jno. D. Taylor.

— Mr. J. Alex McGeachy, bookkeeper for Mr. S. P. McNair, left yesterday afternoon for his home in Robeson county on a visit.

— Mrs. Irving Robinson, Mrs. Mary McLean and Mr. R. J. Hester, of Elizabethtown, were passengers on the *Driver* yesterday.

— Among the visitors to the city yesterday was Mr. George Parker, of Chirquapin, the well-known merchant, planter and naval stores man.

— Mr. J. M. Solky returned yesterday from a stay of several weeks in New York City. His wife and child will remain there a while longer.

— Coxswain J. S. Lane of the *Nantucket* received his discharge yesterday He was sick last week when the other boys were being discharged.

— Mrs. Mary Hinsdale and Miss Della Matthews, of Fayetteville, who have been visiting Mrs. A. H. Slocomb, on Wrightsville beach, returned home yesterday.

— Mr. J. E. Winston returned yesterday from the A. and M. College at Raleigh, and Panacea Springs at Littleton, where he has been for several weeks.

— Mr. M. I. Binswanger, of the firm of Binswanger & Co., Richmond, Va., southern manufacturers' agents for glass, and also representative for the T. P. Association, is in the city, stopping with Mr. Marcus W. Jacobi.

— Mr. Charles J. Mitchell, of the firm of B. F. Mitchell & Co., millers and wholesale peanut dealers, returned yesterday from a two weeks pleasure trip to New York City and other places of interest North. He reports quite a pleasant trip. While in New York he was the guest of his brother, Mr. Dave Mitchell.

No mineral waters in the world is superior to that of Jackson Springs for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia Nervou Prostration or Kidney, Bladder and Stomach troubles. Read advertisement in the STAR.

DEPUTY TEACHY'S CASE,

Taxed With $10 Costs—Sheriff Hewlett Re-appoints Him—Teachy Signs With "His Mark."

At noon yesterday Justice Fowler announced that he would suspend judgment on the payment of costs in the case against Deputy Sheriff D. W. Teachy who was convicted Wednesday of assault and battery committed by forcing an entrance into Alice Jenings house and attempting to arrest her last Sunday morning. The report o the trial and the gist of the evidence was published in yesterday's STAR. The costs in the case amounted to $10, which Teachy says he will pay without carrying it to the higher courts.

Yesterday the two cases against Ben Jennings and Dan Lucas, charged with interfering with Teachy while he was arresting Alice Jennings, were called for trial before 'Squire R. H. Bunting and dismissed. Teachy and his lawyer came into court and acknowledged that they could make no case against them, especially since Justice Fowler had ruled that Teachy was not a legally appointed officer, having been appointed by a deputy sheriff, to whom Sheriff Hewlett could not delegate such authority.

Yesterday Sheriff Hewlett came up to the city and issued another certificate of appointment to Teachy so as to overcome Justice Fowler's ruling. The oath of office was administered by Acting Sheriff G. Z. French as a magistrate. A notable feature of the certificate of appointment is that where the signature of the appointee should appear it is signed by D. W. Teachy with a cross and "his mark" He can neither read nor write. However, he is by no means the only officer of the present Russell-Republican regime who is thus unfit and incapable of performing the duties of the offices to which they have been appointed for political purposes.

MISS FOSTER'S CONCERT.

The Date Soon To Be Announced. — Flower Girls Selling Tickets.

The date for the Miss Norma Foster's benefit entertainment will be announced very soon. A bevy of flower girls are already earnestly soliciting the sale of tickets. They are also on sale at the Y. M. C. A., H. K. Holden's, Munson & Co's., I. Greenwald's and C. W. Yates'. The price of the tickets will be 10 cent. The STAR feels sure that Miss Foster's friends will have no cause for complaint against the people of Wilmington in the matter of their support for the worthy cause which they have espoused, the accumulation of a fund to defray the expense of developing Miss Foster's rare musical talent in the foremost conservatory of music in the country.

Justice Bornemann.

If the Democrats win in November, Justice Bornemann will be found at his old stand impartially dispensing justice to all alike. Through some misunderstanding Justice Bornemann's name was not put on the list at the County Convention, but a letter from Mr. J. W. Sneeden, secretary of the Democratic Executive Committee brought Judge Bornemann the news that the committee had placed his name on the ticket in place of Mr. S. H. Terry, this gentleman having withdrawn in the Judge,s favor. Judge Bornemann was further informed that there were five or six other nominees for magistrates who would have willingly withdrawn in his favor.

Squire Bornemann disposed of one case yesterday. Mike Dowling and C. H. Pittman, white, and John Mitchell, colored, got into a fracas yesterday morning and as a consequence had to answer for their misbehavior. They were fined $5 and the costs.

Funeral of Mr. Capps.

The funeral of the late Mr. C. B. Capps, who died Wednesday morning, took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the Second Advent Church, on South Sixth street. Rev. J. P. King, the pastor of the church, conducted the services. The interment was made at Oakdale cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. Sill Bryant, John Watson, George Greer and Isaac Reynolds.

Enthusiastic Primary.

A subscriber sends us an account of an enthusiastic Populist primary held in one of the precincts of Robeson county last week. The chairman of the precinct was the only Populist present. He transacted all the business by a large majority and then made a motion to himself to adjourn, which was seconded by himself and then adopted by himself without a dissenting vote.

Columbus Pears.

The STAR has received from Mr. D. P. High, of Whiteville, some very fine specimens of pears, from his own garden, one of them weighing one pound and five ounces. "Pink" High is well known in Wilmington, and has many friends here. He is one of the leading citizens of Columbus county, where he is held in the highest esteem.

Returned from Clinton.

Bishop Watson, Dr. James Carmichael, and Rev. Edward Wooten returned yesterday afternoon from Clinton where they went to attend a meeting of the Convocation of Wilmington. St. Paul's church at that place was to have been consecrated, but on account of unfavorable weather the consecration was postponed.

BICYCLE RACES TO-DAY.

A Number of Entries Made Yesterday. Races at 4.30 P. M.—Close Contest Expected.

If the weather permits a series of interesting bicycle races will be run this afternoon on Wrightsville beach. They will be run under the auspices of the Carolina Cycle Club and the entry sheets have been open the past two days. As previously announced in the STAR the Carolina Club medals are to be awarded. The principal races will be one mile, one-half mile and one quarter mile races. The first prize in each will be the championship medals. There will also be second prizes and a number of minor and in several instances ludicrous races will be run.

The entries thus far made for each of the three principal races are the same and are as follows: J. H. LeGwin, J. E. Platt, J. K. Forshee, George Murphy, E. L. Heinsberger and W. F. Morris.

The racers and others who attend will go down to the beach on the 2.30 Seacoast train and the races will probably be run about 4.30 o'clock or at least as soon as the tide is favorable. The entry sheets will be open until noon to-day and it is probable that several other good riders will enter the lists.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Grand Officers and Members of Carolina Lodge at Hibernian Hall.

The Knights of Honor reception last night at Hibernian Hall was much enjoyed by the members of the order. It was held so as to give the Wilmington Knights an opportunity of becoming acquainted with Grand Dictator Norman L. Shaw and Grand Reporter P. C. Carleton. An informal discussion about matters pertaining to the order was participated in by nearly all present. The information brought by the visiting Knights showed the order to be growing throughout the State.

For the past two or three days Messrs. Shaw and Carleton have been at Southport. Tuesday night they paid an official visit to Southport Lodge K. of H. Wednesday night they addressed a public meeting at the court house. Grand Director Shaw expects to leave for Charlotte this afternoon. Grand Reporter Carleton will be here a day or two longer.

DEATH OF MRS. J. C. HORNER.

A Daughter of Mr. G. W. Williams, Died Last Night at Her Home in Oxford.

The STAR was both surprised and grieved last night to learn of the death of Mrs. J. C. Horner, of Oxford, a daughter of Mr. G. W. Williams of this city. She was taken suddenly ill yesterday morning, but it was not even imagined from the first telegram received that her illness was of a serious nature. Subsequent telegrams which came during the day revealed the fact that she was dangerously sick and last night news came that she had passed away at 8.35 P. M. She is survived by her husband, Prof. J. C. Horner, one of the principals of the Horner Military School, and two children. The funeral will take place at Oxford tomorrow.

Miss Fanny Williams and Mr. Albert Williams left last night on the 7.15 train for Oxford before the last telegram was received. Other members of the family will go up to-day. Mrs. Horner had been here on a visit to her relatives only a short while ago.

Praised By the Atlanta Constitution,

Indications are that a real treat is in store for the theatre-goers next week during the engagement of the Lilian Tucker Comedy Company now rehearsing in this city. The Atlanta *Constitution* of February 15th says of Miss Tucker and her company:

"Atlanta has had many repertoire companies playing at popular prices, but the Lilian Tucker Company which opened at the Columbia last night is the very best that has ever been seen here. Miss Tucker is an actress of much ability and the Vaught company gave the little star excellent support."

This season a number of first-class specialty artists have been engaged in addition to the acting company and Miss Tucker is to have a support in at least no way inferior to that of last season. The advance sale of seats will commence at Gerken's to-morrow morning.

County Finance Committee.

Col. Roger Moore, Capt. Boatwright and Capt. Cowan, constituting the County Finance Committee, met last night at the Court House and audited the bills for August, about $1,700.00 in all. Bills amounting to about $200.00 additional were carried over for further investigation and will be audited later. After the bills had been audited coupons for the county's bonded indebtedness paid in July were checked up and burned in the presence of the committee. The same committee will meet to-night to check up the monthly statement of County Treasurer James H. Chadbourn.

To City Subscribers.

City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. In all such cases steps will be taken to insure promp and regular delivery.

Lumberton Fair.

The annual Fair of the Robeson County Fair Association will be held at Lumberton, November 2nd, 3rd and 4th. All space for exhibits free.

FRANK GOUGH, Secy. and Treas.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Chief of Police John R. Melton was suffering from chills and fever yesterday.

— Spirits turpentine on this market yesterday sold as high as 28½ cents per gallon.

— The STAR is authorized to pay 25 cents each for 50 copies of the Wilmington *Daily Record* of Thursday, August 18th.

— No meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Association was held yesterday. Several members of the Board were out of the city.

— The regular, *bona fide* mail circulation of THE MORNING STAR is larger than the mail circulation of all other Wilmington Dailies combined.

— Yesterday Mr. W. D. Todd was tried before Justice Fowler for shooting a pistol in the city limits. Judgment was suspended on the payment of the costs.

— Burglars got into the dining room of Mrs. Geo. F. Love's residence, 121 South Eighth street, Tuesday night and carried off a quantity of spoons, plates and provisions.

— George Dudley, the colored boy who was accidentally shot Tuesday afternoon, is getting better. Unless his condition gets worse no attempt will be made to probe for the ball.

— Mr. Homer J. Clark, of Middlesborough, Ky., gives notice that the receivership of the First National Bank of Wilmington has been consolidated with that of three others, and that he has been placed in charge.

— A cow owned by a Mr. Wilson killed herself yesterday near the "Unknown Factory" by running into a wire fence. The animal seemed not to have seen the fence and ran headlong into the wire, breaking her neck.

— Charles Jackson, a negro boy, was arraigned before Mayor Wright yesterday on the charge of disorderly conduct. He was dismissed with the understanding that his father should punish him for his misbehaviour.

— Miss Annie B. Ulrich and Miss Fannie K. Corbett, two of Wilmington's most talented musicians, have opened a music school in the Y. M. C. A. building. They will teach the Fletcher music method, Simplex and Kindergarden.

— Acting Sheriff G. Z. French says that postal card notices have brought in a number of professional and business men lately to pay Schedule B taxes. A number of doctors, lawyers and corporations are, he says, still liable to the penalty for non-payment.

— Sheriff G. Z. French received a letter from a Wilmington member of Company K at St. Simon's Island yesterday urging him to use his influence with Governor Russell and the Washington authorities to have the Second regiment mustered out. The Sheriff wrote the young man that orders had already been issued for their discharge.

BUGLER REDD ACQUITTED.

Justice Bunting Declared that Chief Melton Failed to Prove a Case.

Yesterday Bugler A. G. Redd, of the *Nantucket* crew, was acquitted of the charge of disorderly conduct made against him by Chief of Police Melton. It will be remembered that Mr. Redd was arrested on the evening of the second day after the boys arrived here. He was in company with a number of the crew and all of them contended that Mr. Redd had committed no offense. Commander Morton became security for his appearance for trial. Yesterday the case was called before Justice R. H. Bunting and Herbert McClammy, Esq., served as counsel for Mr. Redd and C. P. Lockey was employed by Chief of Police Melton to push the prosecution. The Chief's was the only testimony detrimental to Mr. Redd and 'Squire Bunting promptly held that Mr. Redd was not guilty according to the evidence. Neither attorney reviewed the evidence.

In a Thunder Storm.

The steamboat *Driver* on her last trip down the river had a "close call." Near Waddill's Ferry, a bolt of lightning struck a tree, passing close to the *Driver*. The pilot, Zach Roberts, was knocked from the wheel and stunned, and Capt. Robinson, a passenger Mr. E. C. Singletary and several boathands were shocked. The pilot soon regained consciousness and resumed his place at the wheel.

Will Leave Sunday Morning.

The Wilmington Light Infantry will soon be at home again. This is the news received in a telegram yesterday by Mr. Junius Davis. The present plans are to leave St. Simon's Island with the other companies stationed there next Sunday morning. How long it will take to muster out the troops is not known. The boys ought to be home in a week though, it would seem.

Stone for Fort Caswell.

Five car loads of stone from the Mount Airy granite quarries arrived here yesterday over the C. F. & Y. V. railroad, for Fort Caswell. This is the first shipment of a large quantity of stone to be used in building additional fortifications at Caswell.

Beginning with to-day and continuing until the quarantine is lifted, all passengers ticketed through Memphis, Tenn., will need health certificates on account of reported fever cases there.

T. J. ANDERSON,
G. P. A. Seaboard Air Line.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH.

A Deadlock in Populist Congressional Convention—Stroud in the Lead.

THE SECOND VOLUNTEERS.

Orders for the Regiment to Report in Raleigh—The First Regiment to Be Mustered Out in October—The Raleigh Registrars.

[*Special Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 9.

The Populist Congressional Convention will meet this afternoon. Many delegates and nearly as many candidates are on the scene. Otho Wilson seems to be the prime mover and declares Stroud is beaten.

The statement is made from the highest authority in Washington that the First N. C. regiment will never see Cuba, and will probably be mustered out of service probably October 1st; certainly before October 10th. This action is inexplicable, for it was certainly supposed that Lee's corps would not be mutilated in such a manner.

Dr. Warren Hall, Hamrick's clerk, who has been appointed one of the registrars in Raleigh, met your correspondent this morning and said "I see you criticise me, being a registrar in Raleigh. Why, I live here and paid taxes here." Your correspondent then investigated the matter and found that Hall has never listed any taxes, city or county, since he has been here.

Walter Henry has not failed to visit Republican headquarters since he has been here examining banks.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

At midnight the Populist Congressional Convention is still balloting. The last ballot stood, Otho Wilson, 39; Stroud, 47; English, 14; Ayer, 16; Garrett, 23; Mitchell, 31; scattering, 4. A deadlock is probable.

Among to day's Washington bulletins, announcing troops' movements, is the following: "Second North Carolina, from St. Simons, Ga., to Raleigh, via the Southern Railway."

A Washington report says that Cowles will succeed a major of First regiment when the Second regiment is mustered out.

WHITE GOVERNMENT UNIONS.

Meetings of the Second and Third Wards Last Night—Resolutions Adopted.

The White Government Union of the upper division of the Third Ward held its weekly meeting last night at the Seaboard Air Line office. Besides the transaction of the routine business, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, The unprovoked attack on Mr. J. A. Fore by Mr. B. F. Keith has come to the notice of this Union through the public prints; and whereas, we believe that Mr. Keith did make use of the incendiary and base expression attributed to him; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we condemn the statement of Mr Keith as calculated to do much harm, and wholly without fact or foundation, and the assault as cowardly in the extreme; and be it further

Resolved, That we give these resolutions to the press of the city for publication.

The Second Ward meeting last night was the best yet held by that ward. There was a large crowd present and much enthusiasm displayed. In fact, as the campaign progresses the meetings of the White Government Unions all over the city are growing in interest.

The Union endorsed the nominations made by the County Convention last Monday. It elected Capt. Walter G. MacRae as standard bearer of the White Government Union of the Second Ward. Mr. H. McL. Green, nominee for treasurer, being present, was called on for a speech. He responded with some suitable remarks.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Knowing that the white race possesses the brains, culture, refinement and wealth of our city, and feeling that each recurring political contest is fraught with danger to our community and a formidable race riot is liable to occur at any moment, due to the high-handed outrages and brutality of the negroes, who, unfortunately, are largely in the majority; and believing that white men should rule in order to avoid any race conflict, and to insure the safety of our homes and the protection of our property, and being white men, we believe in employing white men in preference to negroes; we therefore, the members of the White Government Union of the Second Ward, solemnly pledge ourselves, whenever it is possible and practicable, we will employ white men and white women, instead of negroes, and we will do all in our power to influence others to do likewise.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—11 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel rosin.

W. C. & A. Railroad—101 bales cotton, 22 casks spirits turpentine, 110 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Carolina Central Railroad—23 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine.

C. F. & Y. V. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 26 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar.

Steamer E. A. Hawes—8 casks spirits turpentine, 267 barrels rosin.

Steamer W. T. Daggett—17 casks spirits turpentine, 50 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar, 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Driver—12 casks spirits turpentine, 36 barrels rosin, 32 barrels tar.

Clarkin's flat—2 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 55 barrels tar.

Parkin's flat—44 casks spirits turpentine, 240 barrels rosin.

Total—Cotton, 136 bales; spirits turpentine, 142 casks; rosin, 746 barrels; tar, 130 barrels; crude turpentine, 18 barrels.

CHANGES AT CITY HOSPITAL.

Dr. Wertenbaker Becomes Temporary Superintendent—Chairman Boatwright's Plans.

Capt. J. L. Boatwright, as chairman of the Board of Managers for the City Hospital, is inaugurating quite an aggressive campaign in the management of that institution. His efforts are being heartily seconded by other members of the Board, Dr. Zachary, the physician in charge, and others in positions of trust connected with the hospital. And in addition to this Dr. Wertenbaker, of the Marine Hospital, has kindly volunteered his aid in the matter of thoroughly re-organizing the management. Indeed, Dr. Wertenbaker has magnanimously offered to assume the superintendency of the institution until a complete new system similar to that in vogue in the Marine hospitals can be gotten in perfect working order in the City Hospital. It is probable that after that time a regular superintendent will be employed by the Board of Managers.

Yesterday Captain Boatwright, Dr. Wertenbkaer and Dr. Zackary spent the afternoon at the Hospital and made a complete inventory of the Hospital equipment, furniture, etc. This is to be kept throughly posted as to articles added, broken up or carried away and each succeeding superintendent will be required to receipt and account for the inventory. This is only one of a number of new features to be introduced into the management. The Marine Hospital plan of management is conceded to be the most perfect in existence; few men are more throughly upon such matters than Dr. Wertenbaker and the people of Wilmington and county can but be especially grateful to him for so magnanimously assuming the task of revising the system without charge.

Capt. Boatwright told a STAR reporter last night that he had gotten estimates for the proposed city and county pharmacy, reference to which has been made in the STAR before. He says the building, which is damaged by fire, can be equipped for the purpose for about $145.00 and the stock of drugs necessary to supply the needs of the hospital and city and county charity practice will require an outlay of about $140 or $150 per month and the city's expense is, he thinks, equally as much or more. He is sure that the proposed pharmacy would pay for itself within six months and prove a very great saving to Wilmington and New Hanover. It is probable that the pharmacy will be established within a very short time. Some competent pharmaceutical student will be placed in charge and all prescriptions by the superintendent of health, as well as those for the hospital and other county and city institutions, will be filled by him.

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DIED.

HORNER—At Oxford, N. C., at 8.35 P. M., August 8, Mrs. KATE WILLIAMS HORNER, wife of Prof. J. C. Horner, and daughter of Mr. Geo W. Williams, of Wilmington.

Funeral in Oxford, Saturday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

To All Persons Interested.

The Receivership of the First National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., having been consolidated with that of three others and the undersigned having been placed in charge, all persons having business connected with said Bank or the Receivership thereof, will address me at Middlesborough, Kentucky, from which place their communications will receive prompt attention.

HOMER J. CLARK,
Receiver First National Bank, Wilmington, N. C.
Dated August 27th, 1898. se 9 1t

Opera House.

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH.
Engagement of the
Chas. E. Vaught Comedy Co.,
Supporting
Miss Lilian Tucker.
Monday Night, "The Buckeye."
New and Novel Specialties.
Change of Play and Specialties at Each Performance.
LADIES FREE MONDAY NIGHT.
Prices, 10, 20, 30 cents. se 9 3t

J. G. Wright & Son,

Offer For Rent From October 1st, 1898, the following houses:

Two houses on Fourth between Market and Princess.
One house on Eighth, between Market and Dock.
One house on Second and Ann streets.
One house on Ann, between Front and Second.
Two houses on Fifth, between Chesnut and Grace.
Two houses on Chesnut, between Fourth and Fifth.
One house on Sixth between Chesnut and Grace
One house on Second, between Ann and Nun.
Two houses on Walnut, between Fourth and Fifth.
One house on corner of Fifth and Walnut
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.

Sixth District—John D. Bellamy, *of* New Hanover.

FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES.

First District—Hon. George H. Brown, of Beaufort.
Second District—Hon. Henry R. Bryan, of Craven.
Fifth District—Hon. Thomas J. Shaw, of Guilford.
Sixth District—Hon. Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.
Seventh District—Hon. Thomas A. McNeill, of Robeson.
Eleventh District—Hon. W. Alexander Hoke, of Lincoln.

FOR SOLICITOR.

Sixth District—Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.

For Judge of Eastern Criminal Circuit: Dossey Battle, of Edgecombe.

New Hanover County.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

Tenth District—W. J. Davis, of Brunswick.

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ASTUTE MR. SIMS.

Mr. John A. Sims is a Populist. He is also chief clerk in the State Auditor's office at Raleigh. Mr. Sims had the sagacity to see the white supremacy question looming up, and he had the astuteness to advise his party to catch on in time and declare for white supremacy. He also had the sagacity to foresee what the result of the failure to catch on would be, and was prophet enough to predict some of the results.

He is a member of the Populist State Committee, and at one of its meetings some time ago introduced a resolution declaring that the Populist party was a white man's porty, and should declare for white supremacy in North Carolina and make its fight in 1898 on that issue. This, of course, meant a dissolution of partisanship with the Republicans and would put an estoppel on fusion in the future. The committee sat down on that resolution and it died in the cradle. Mr. Sims was not altogether satisfied at the fate of his resolution and therefore he wrote a letter to the chairman of the committee giving some of the reasons why the party should divorce itself from the colored contingent and proclaim itself white, from which we quote the following:

"Let them (the negroes) have charge of their own institutions of learning here, by placing only those of their people who are thoroughly competent over the same. There can be no objection to this, although the white man may pay a part, and it may be a greater part of the tax which supports this institution, but leave the legislation and the general management of the affairs of North Carolina to the Caucasian race.

"Why, from a political standpoint, do I say it is to the advantage of the negro to leave the affairs of North Carolina to the whites? Because as soon as it becomes a fact which will be known and read to all men, that the negro is in authority in North Carolina, then the white men who have come out of the Democratic ranks, who now constitute the Populist party, will flee, every mother's son of them, back to the Democratic camp.

"The main issue before us now in North Carolina, and not as yet fully agreed upon, is, who shall manage the affairs of our own beloved Commonwealth.

"Just here allow me to say that I give all the honor to that noble band of forty odd Populists, who stood solidly as a stone wall in the last General Assembly of North Carolina, against some of the vicious legislation that was attempted to be thurst upon the cities of Eastern Carolina (as well as some of the western), but for these the management of the cities referred to would have been turned over to those wholly incompetent to say the least."

"I, for one, am opposed to further misleading the negroes of North Carolina.

"Now, Mr. Chairman, if you could only see some of the many letters now in my possession from parties throughout North Carolina, who endorse the course that I took before the recent meeting of the State executive committee, you would see that, as a party, we cannot afford longer to fail to give expression on the question of white supremacy; if from no higher motive, we are compelled to do it in self-defense. And pray, tell me, why not? The Populist party is a white man's party, while the greatest issue involved affects all classes, conditions and colors of men and it should be a party composed of all, and more especially of all laboring men, yet the fact remains that the negro is a Republican and ever will be. (I know of but one township in North Carolina where the negroes are sticking to the Populist party.)"

This in the main is good, hard sense, to which most of the white men of North Carolina will subscribe, and it speaks well for the political sagacity of the writer, but it didn't have much effect on the machine manager to whom it was addressed for he was one of the main movers in the recent fusion deal with Republican machine managers who represent a party composed of three-fourths negroes and one-fourth whites, and Mr Sims forgot it himself for he was one of the committee that fixed up the fusion deal. He and the chairman will now get into harness and pull alongside the negro just as if they were born that way.

But for all that he grasped the situation from the standpoint of politics, and also from the standpoint of patriotism, if it may be assumed that he was honest and sincere in what he wrote. As a politician he foresaw and predicted that if his party didn't secure a divorce from the negro party and declare for white supremacy, when that issue came up (as it would) the white men in his party who had been Democrats would desert it and "flee back to the Democratic party"—just as they are doing, and just as some Republicans who have never voted the Democratic ticket are doing.

It does him credit (or rather it would do him credit if he had consistently refused to return to the fusion wallow) that he was opposed to turning over Eastern cities and counties to negro rule, and it does his candor credit to virtually admit that they had been "misleading the negroes," when he declares that he is opposed to "further misleading" them.

If he thought it was time to quit misleading the negroes, the negroes have come to the conclusion that it was time for them to cease being led by the white men who have been leading them for the sake of offices the leading brought, and are proclaiming a leadership of their own and putting in a claim to the offices, or at least what they consider their share of them.

Mr. Sims may be tired of the association, he may deprecate the rule of the "incompetent, to say the least," and he may possibly sympathize with those communities where the negro has been put on top, but he will go right along helping to keep him on top by continuing to "breathe life into the dead bulk of the Republican party," as Populist Senator Atwater, of Chatham county, said the Populist party had done. But Mr. Sims in his letter wrote a good deal of sense, even if he were simply talking from a political standpoint and were inspired by no higher or more commendable motive.

A DISPENSER OF JUSTICE.

The presumption is that a magistrate who is empowered to sit in judgment on the people brought before him, and decide cases pertaining to person or property, should be at least an ordinarily intelligent person, capable of writing what is necessary for him in his official capacity, to write, and to understand the law as applying to the cases that come before him. That was the kind of men who served as magistrates under Democratic rule, but that is not always the kind of men who serve under Republican-Populist fusion rule.

Steven Bryant is a negro magistrate in Wayne county, elected by the fusion Legislature of 1895 for six years. A case came before him in which a laborer sought to levy on a crop for labor done, whereupon the sable justice issued the following unique document, which we clip from the Raleigh *Post*, in which levy is made on the whole township and county.

"North Carolina, Wayen county.
"Goldsboro township befor S. L. Bryant, J. P.
"Elexander T. Hook claimant—$3.50.
"The said Abe Whitly hereby files his lien against the said township and county said lien is for work and labor done on crops of said Abe Whitley for bill of particulars here with filed the said crops being upon the land of said Abe Whitley situat in said county and township and adjoining the Land of Benet and I. B. Fonsill and upon said Elexander t Hook His Ben Elexander t Hook claims, Sept. 13, 1895, this day befor me S. L. Bryant J. P."
"On the corner of the document is this figuring: 55x60x $3.50, is $4.75."

It may be observed that the sable dispenser of justice didn't forget his costs. There are doubtless more of the same kind. And these are the kind of law dispensers the fusionists would give North Carolina, because the negro must be recognized to keep the white bosses in office.

ONE OF MANY.

There are thousands of Populists in North Carolina who withdrew from the Democratic party, but, disgusted with the faithlessness and mercenary bartering of the so-called leaders of the Populist party, are returning to the Democratic fold. Many of them give the reasons why they do so, and good reasons, too. We have published letters from a number of them, found in our State exchanges, and herewith present another which we find in the Lumberton *Robesonian:*

Editor Robesonian: Fearing that the Democratic party, under the leadership of Cleveland, was drifting from its true principles, I joined the People's party, believing that it was what it contended to be, for free silver, a low tariff and an economical administration of the government. But I find now that the leaders of the party—those who want office—have placed the party on the block to be bid off by the highest bidder—by that party which will give the leaders the most offices. We see them joining the Republican party whose every principle is opposed to their platform, for they are for gold, a high tariff and an expensive administration. They are placing the black man over the white man and the white woman in the South, while they dare not do it in the North.

For these reasons I have determined to return to the Democratic party; the white man's party; the party which has always defended the middle classes and fought the trusts; the party of my fathers. And I sincerely hope that all those who withdrew from the party for the same reasons that I did will also see their error and return again to its flag and table. Our chairs have never been occupied and are now waiting for us.

E. B. PAUL.

Lumberton, Sept. 5, 1898.

This man has the courage to act on his convictions. He had the courage to go out of the Democratic party when he believed it was under wrong leadership, and he has the courage to go out of the Populist party when he discovers that the leaders of that party are false to it, deserters of their professed principles, and in the lust for spoils consort with men who are opposed to everything that the Populist party in former days contended for. Honest people, in the possession of their senses, with eyes and ears, can't be fooled all the time. The Populist office traders have carried the fooling too far.

MINOR MENTION.

If General Miles was not in the good graces of the gentlemen who are managing the War Department before those letters made their appearance in that Kansas City paper, he certainly is not now, since the Associated Press dispatch published yesterday, which went so far as to claim all the credit of planning the Cuban campaign, and the results, for General Miles, and must have been based on information supplied by him, directly or indirectly. There may be some question as to the propriety of the General of the Army thus going before the public in the newspapers, but his justification probably is that there has been a disposition to ignore him and his services and to give to others the credit of planning and executing what he had planned and executed. The telegrams published show pretty conclusively that General Miles was regarded by the War Department as the commanding General of the army at Santiago, and that General Shafter was acting under orders from him, but as a matter of fact the blow that put Santiago at the mercy of our army was struck before General Miles got there with his reinforcements, and the glory of that is not due either to him or to General Shafter, but to the indomitable pluck and impetuous valor of the troops that assaulted the Spanish positions and drove the Spanish soldiers from them into Santiago. If to any individual belongs the glory of holding the ground gained, when it was proposed to fall back and wait for reinforcements, that belongs to General Wheeler who vigorously and emphatically opposed it. Santiago was virtually captured when Gen. Miles arrived with his fresh troops, and he is entitled to about as much glory for the capture as Admiral Sampson, who arrived just in time to see Cervera's ships sinking, was entitled to the glory of the destruction of the Spanish fleet.

BOOK NOTICES.

The September number of *The North American Review* contains some very interesting and instructive articles on the Philippines, Cuba, Bismark and other subjects, now attract public attention Address North American Review, 291 Fifth Avenue.

The literary reader and student will find *The Bookman* for September an interesting number, containing among other things sketches of noted writers of this and other countries. Published by Dodd, Mead & Co., Fifth avenue and Twenty-first street, New York.

The reader will find *The Review of Reviews* for September a very interesting and valuable number. Two of the papers of special interest are a "Sketch of Bismarck," and "The Occupation of Porto Rico," both well illustrated. Published by The Review of Reviews Company, 13 Astor Place, New York.

The New Time for September prints an interesting list of articles on political and economic subjects that the reader will find valuable. In addition to this are a number of articles of a lighter character. Published by The New Time Company, 56 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on R. R. BELLAMY, druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50 cents and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

POINTS POLITICAL.

TIRED OF IT.

Several former Populists informed us Saturday that they were tired of the present state of affairs and were going to vote the Democratic ticket this Fall. If necessary we can give the names.—*Rocky Mount Motor.*

Dunn dispatch in Raleigh *News and Observer:* Yesterday (Tuesday) Hon. E. W. Pou made a great speech on the current political issues at Lillington. After the speaking many Populists declared themselves forever done with fusion, and several old-time Republicans told me that they had voted against their race their last time.

BEFORE A NEGRO JUSTICE.

A poor white woman, with three small children and an old mother about 70 years old dependent upon her for a living, was hauled up before a negro magistrate in Newbern last week. An excessive bond was placed upon her, and but for timely aid she would have been placed in jail.—*Kinston Free Press.*

WILL CONTINUE THE FIGHT.

A prominent Republican from Winston, whose name is withheld because he wishes it, says that the opposition to Congressman Linney will not be buried with Dr. Wilcox, but will continue, and, furthermore, the insurgents, as the opposition call themselves, will in a few days call a convention to nominate a candidate to take up the fight and carry it through, he hopes successfully.—*Charlotte News.*

FALLING INTO LINE.

A gentleman from one of the Eastern counties says they organized a White Government Union in his precinct on the 31st of August with fifty members, and that by the 5th of September the membership had increased to one hundred and fifty. On the day the Union was organized, he says, the fusion Populist held a convention at the same place, only four persons attending. The union sent a member over to the convention with an invitation to the lonely four to join, and one of them accepted the invitation and had his name enrolled as a member of the Union.—Raleigh *News and Observer.*

OLIVER PUFFS DAN.

Our Home—the *Observer's* favorite contemporary—quotes Col. Oliver H. Dockery as saying in his recent speech at Beaver Dam: "Dan Russell has been one of the best Governors the State has ever had. Yet this is the same "Dan Russell" whom Col. Dockery and his friends accused, in 1896, of beating him out of the Republican nomination for Governor by buying up his delegates. When Dr. Norment gets his message from Raleigh bidding him come down, if he will recall this Beaver Dam speech and put two and two together he will learn that they make four.—*Charlotte Observer.*

TWINKLINGS.

— "There goes another camp victim." "Why, he isn't a soldier." "No, but he camped out this summer and got engaged to a girl."

—Lady Visitor—"What a pretty baby. How old is he?" Mamie (aged five)—"I ain't quite sure, mum. We've had him about a year."—*Life.*

— "How long does it take you to do up a white ruffled shirt?" Laundress—"Generally about two washings, ma'am."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— At the Ball Game—She—"I think I'm beginning to understand it." He—"That's good." She—"Is that the umpire at the bat."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— Frugal Girl—"Wasn't it noble in that Vassar girl to save three men from drowning?" "Yes—a husband for herself and for two other girls."—*Chicago Record.*

— The Judge (sternly)—"The next person who interrupts the proceedings will be expelled from the court room." The Prisoner (enthusiastically)—"Hooray!"—*Puck.*

— Congratulation: "Did your son get home safe from Cuba?" asked the neighbor. "He did better than that," was the answer, "he got home safe from camp."—*Washington Star.*

— Literary Note—"You are the first one I ever heard mention Bradley's literary ability." "Well, I never heard of him writing any books, but I know he can borrow more of them than any other man I know."—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

— Presence of Mind: "Does it make any difference to you which berth you take?" "Not a bit, Ferguson. Just as lief have the lower. There is nothing uppish about me. I don't mind being climbed over. Well, good night."—*Chicago Tribune.*

— Riding in an omnibus up Regent street last evening, I heard an old lady annoying the other passengers by her remarks. The conductor remonstrated with her, saying: "Ma'am, remember you are in a public vehicle, and behave as such."—*London Spectator.*

—"So Miss Tingleham is going on the stage, is she? Why, I never knew that she had any histrionic ability." "She hasn't; but a New York manager has found out in some way that she's a second cousin to Baldy Hendricks, who made such a proud name for himself during the war."—*Cleveland Leader.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Elizabeth City *Carolinian:* The rice crop never promised better.

— Kinston *Free-Press:* There is an ice war on in Kinston between Morehead City and Newbern factories. It is now retailing here at 15 cents per 100 pounds or 200 pounds for a quarter, the purchaser to take it from the door of the ice house.

Hillsboro *Observer:* Tom Lee, colored, a native of Hillsboro, who 14 years ago when he was quite young, was convicted of murder in the second degree in Winston and sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary, has been pardoned by Gov. Russell.

— Charlotte *Observer:* The oldest inhabitants of McDowell county say they never experienced such a rainy season as has been in this mountain section. They have had but very few full days of sunshine in two months and it seems as if this mountain country will be washed away. —— Will Burroughs, col., a very much wanted individual in police circles, was captured Tuesday night by Chief Orr and Officers Cunningham and Overcash. Burroughs is the negro who several weeks ago broke into the poor house, jumped on a crazy darkey, beat him and stole his shoes from him. He also broke into a box car at the Carolina Central freight depot, selling a number of things therefrom. His latest exploit—a Sunday transaction—was the stealing of a saddle from a party in the country. He sold it, and this led to his capture.

ICELAND'S ALTHING.

A Picture of the Parliament House, With the Legislature In Session.

A deep hush fell upon the strangers' gallery as the clerk of the lower house rose to read the record. The viking blood within me began to leap as I caught here and there a word that has not been used in our common English tongue since it was tricked out in Norman frippery by the Bastard eight centuries ago. It was the parliament house in Reikiavik, and the althing was in session. As the president seized a pen to sign the record I glanced diffidently at my companions. For the lack of a grille, the women sat to the left of the gallery, as in church, and the men to the right. There were a fishwife from the quay, one or two farmers' daughters in town for a day's shopping and others obviously present, as in another place, to hear their relatives declaim. The men represented on their side the same range of interests and included also the captain of the Iceland brigade of the Salvation Army, a Danish lieutenant, a French bagman and an official of the house. In a corner sat another Englishman, a young artist from the potteries. As the president rose the door noisily opened and there trooped in, as if to another place, a couple of half shod youngsters from the Latin school.

The senate house is square and lofty, with a decorated ceiling, and around the walls hang portraits in oil of famous althing men. The benches are in a horseshoe, and each of the 24 members has his appointed place, with a couple of ink pots and a spittoon. Out of his six and eightpence a day (and traveling expenses) he can readily afford a well filled snuff horn, and the regularity wherewith some of the conscript fathers laid a train of gunpowder along the gulley between the index and the thumb was a sight for Russell, C. J., himself.

The session lasts for a couple of months only, and some of the althing men have traveled for weeks to fulfill their duties. The Danish mail steamer makes one of its voyages a sort of parliamentary train. Starting from Reythafjorthr, on the east coast, it circles the island northward and picks up the senators from fiord to fiord. Some of them come in on saddleback, driving before them a long train of pack ponies and remounts. The senators represent the strongest elements in the public life of Iceland—farmers, lawyers, merchants, divisional magistrates and the like. There is also an upper house, filled half by election from the lower and half by the king.

The president wore no uniform to denote his rank—a frock coat midway in smartness between Oom Paul and the colonial secretary, surmounted by a cravat that might have cost a krone. As he read, in a robust viking note, from the orders of the day, the Danish governor strolled in, gold laced and epauleted, sat at the desk reserved for him, lifted the lid to fetch out his papers, glanced round for an attendant, who is also the curator of the museum, to bring him an agenda and took stock nonchalantly of the house. The horseshoe still divided its interest between snuffing, following the text of the reader and glancing through the newspaper, which contained intelligence brought north by the mail. Except for size and grandeur, the scene most vividly recalled to my memory was the Glasgow city council chamber.—New York Post.

Vitriol Instead of Bullets.

A great revolution in warfare will be effected if anything comes of the new French rifle which discharges vitriol instead of bullets. Heroes do not fear death, but naturally shrink from disfigurement. The Duke of Wellington, we are told in the Latin Grammar (comic), would "walk among the cannon balls, him not caring one blow," but even the great duke would hardly have exhibited the same indifference to rifles squirting vitriol. No decent looking soldier will be got to face them. They will have to be approached backward. This will entail a new system of drill. Think of a whole regiment charging backward! If both forces are possessed of this novel weapon, the spectacle will be doubly entertaining. Our ideas will not only be transformed, but inverted. When our warriors return, says James Jayn, they will no longer exhibit with pride the wounds they have received in front—quite the reverse. The more behind the better.—San Francisco Argonaut.

A CRITICAL TIME

During the Battle of Santiago.

SICK OR WELL, A RUSH NIGHT AND DAY.

The Packers at the Battle of Santiago de Cuba were all Heroes. Their Heroic Efforts in Getting Ammunition and Rations to the Front Saved the Day.

P. E. Butler, of pack train No. 3, writing from Santiago, De Cuba, on July 23d, says: "We all had diarrhoea in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that at one critical time this medicine was the indirect saviour of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

MANNING THE YARDS.

A Naval Ceremony That Is Not What It Used to Be.

In the old navy, when United States ships were actually ships with yards, the bos'n's mate's call, "All hands obeer ship!" was followed by a much more picturesque ceremony than is possible now, when the vessels of the navy are fitted with but a single yard and that only used for signaling. At the word of command "Man the yards!" there was an amount of acrobatic scurrying on the main decks of the old ships that was calculated to make the ship visitor hold his breath, the thing looked so dangerous. The men forward in bluejacket uniform would fairly leap up the rope ladders, and almost by the time the echoes of the command had died away every yard on each mast would support scores of men and boys, all standing erect, most of them only held up by the crossed arms of the men beside them. This representation of a cross was held by all of the men, and it was their business to stand thus with absolute statuesqueness. Then the command "Cheer ship!" would be bawled out on deck by the chief bos'n's mate, and there would be a yell from cathead to mizzen that couldn't help but warm the blood of everybody within hearing of it. When the men manned the yards with all sail except topsails and stunsails set, such a picture was really beautiful, the men's uniforms of blue standing out in sapphirelike contrast to the cameo whiteness of the shrouds. This was a ceremony on all formal occasions, such as the visit aboard the old ships of distinguished men. And "Man the yards!" and "Cheer ship!" were commands always given when one of the old clippers of the United States navy was either departing for or arriving from a foreign station.—Washington Star.

Lived to Be Doctored.

When the new boy got into the schoolroom, he was of course pestered with numerous questions by the other scholars as to his name, his parents' profession, the amount of his pocket money and various other matters about which boys are curious.

"Who's your family doctor?" asked a big lad.

"Ain't got none," was the prompt if ungrammatical reply.

"How jolly!" responded the questioner. "Why, you don't have no medicine to take."

"Don't I!" was the sarcastic reply. "That's all you know. Why, my father's a homeopath, mother's an allopath, my sister Maggie's joined the ladies' ambulance corps, grandfather believes in massage, my Uncle Sandy's a horse doctor, and"—with a pathetic sigh—"they all of them experiment on me."

That boy got the sympathy he desired.—Strand Magazine.

A Clever Trick.

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The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price of the articles quoted.

BAGGING—			
2 lb. Jute	7	@	7¼
Standard	7½	@	7¾
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ₩ lb	12	@	12¼
Sides ₩ lb		@	8
Shoulders ₩ lb		@	7
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ₩ lb		@	6
Shoulders ₩ lb		@	5¾
BARRELS-Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 10
New New York, each		@	1 30
New City, each		@	1 10
BEESWAX ₩ lb		@	24
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ₩ M	5 00	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ₩ lb	15	@	18
Northern	18	@	25
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	40
Virginia Meal		@	40
COTTON TIES—₩ bundle		@	80
CANDLES—₩ lb			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	8	@	11
CHEESE—₩ lb			
Northern Factory	7	@	11
Dairy, Cream		@	11
State		@	10
COFFEE—₩ lb			
Laguyra	12	@	16
Rio	7½	@	9
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ₩ yard		@	5½
Yarns, ₩ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS—₩ dozen	12	@	14
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ₩ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ₩ half-bbl	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2, ₩ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ₩ half-bbl	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ₩ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ₩ barrel		@	4 50
Mullets, ₩ pork barrel		@	6 00
N. C. Roe Herring, ₩ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ₩ lb	5	@	10
Extra	4 25	@	4 50
FLOUR—₩ bbl			
Low grade		@	3 25
Choice		@	3 50
Straight	3 75	@	4 00
First Patent	4 50	@	5 00
GLUE—₩ lb	7½	@	8½
GRAIN—₩ bushel			
Corn, from store, bgs—White		@	50
Car load, in bags—White		@	48
Oats, from store	35	@	37½
Oats, Rust Proof		@	45
Cow Peas	90	@	1 00
HIDES—₩ lb			
Green		@	8
Dry		@	19
HAY, ₩ 100 lbs			
Clover Hay		@	75
Rice Straw		@	60
Eastern		@	75
Western		@	75
North River		@	75
HOOP IRON, ₩ lb	1½	@	8
LARD, ₩ lb—			
Northern	5½	@	7
North Carolina	5	@	10½
LIME, ₩ barrel	1 15	@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ₩ M ft—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, com'n	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ₩ gallon—			
Barbadoes, in hogshead		@	26
Barbadoes in barrels		@	28
Porto Rico, in hogsheads		@	27
Porto Rico, in barrels		@	28
Sugar-House, in hogsheads	12	@	14
Sugar-House, in barrels	14	@	15
Syrup, in barrels	12	@	15
NAILS ₩ keg, Cut, 60d basis	1 40	@	1 50
PORK ₩ barrel—			
City Mess		@	11 00
Rump		@	11 00
Prime		@	10 50
ROPE, ₩ lb	10	@	20
SALT, ₩ sack Alum		@	1 10
Liverpool	70	@	75
American	70	@	75
On 100 ₩ Sacks		@	67½
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ₩ M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 00	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	3 75	@	5 00
SUGAR, ₩ lb—Standard Gran'd	5½	@	5¾
Standard A		@	5¼
White Extra C		@	5
Extra C, Golden		@	4¾
C, Yellow		@	4½
SOAP, ₩ lb—Northern	3½	@	6
STAVES, ₩ M, W. O. barrel	6 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ₩ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Prime		@	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	7 00
Common Mill	4 00	@	5 00
Inferior to Ordinary		@	3 00
SHINGLES, N. C. Cypress sawed ₩ M 6x24 heart	7 50	@	8 50
Sap	5 00	@	6 00
5x24 Heart	4 50	@	5 00
Sap	4 00	@	4 50
4x24 Heart	3 50	@	4 00
Sap	3 00	@	3 50
TALLOW, ₩ lb	3½	@	4
WHISKEY, ₩ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	2 00
WOOL, ₩ lb—Unwashed	8	@	18

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, September 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market firm at 28½ cents per gallon for machine-made casks and 28 cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN.—Market quiet at $1.05 per bbl for Strained and $1.10 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market firm at $1.30 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1.10 per barrel for Hard, $1.60 for Dip, and $1.60 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm, 27¼, 27¼c; rosin firm, $1.15, $1.20; tar firm, $1.10; crude turpentine firm, $1.30, $1.80, $1.90.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	142
Rosin	746
Tar	130
Crude Turpentine	18

Receipts same day last year.—86 casks spirits turpentine, 350 bbls rosin, 110 bbls tar, 27 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 5¼c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 13-16	cts.	₩ lb
Good Ordinary	4½	"	"
Low Middling	4 13-16	"	"
Middling	5¼	"	"
Good Middling	5½	"	"

Same day last year, middling 6 13-16c.

Receipts—136 bales; same day last year, 994.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime, 60@65c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 70c; Fancy, 75c. Virginia—Extra Prime, 75c; Fancy, 75c; Spanish, 70@80c.

CORN.—Firm; 52½ to 55 cents per bushel.

ROUGH RICE.—None offering.

N. C. BACON.—Steady; hams, 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 6 to 7c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES.—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $1.60 to $2.25; six inch, $2.25 to $3.25; seven inch, $5.50 to $6.50.

TIMBER.—Market steady at $2.50 to $6.50 per M.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Money on call firm at 2½@3½ per cent., last loan being at 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange heavy; actual business in bankers' bills 484¼@484½ for demand; 482¾@482¾ for sixty days. Posted rates 483½@484 and 485¼@486. Commercial bills 481½@481¾. Silver certificates 60¼@60¾. Bar silver 60¼. Mexican dollars 46¼. Government bonds strong; U. S. new 4's, registered, 127; do. coupon, 127; U. S. 4's 110½; do. coupon, 111½; U. S. 2's, 98; U. S. 5's, registered, 112¼; do. 5's, coupon, 112¼. State bonds dull; N. C. 6's 129; 4's 102¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Rosin was steady. Spirits turpentine firm at 31½c.

CHARLESTON, September 7.—Spirits turpentine firm at 27c; no sales. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales.

SAVANNAH, September 8.—Spirits turpentine firm at 28½c; sales 180 casks; receipts 413 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales; receipts 1,311 barrels.

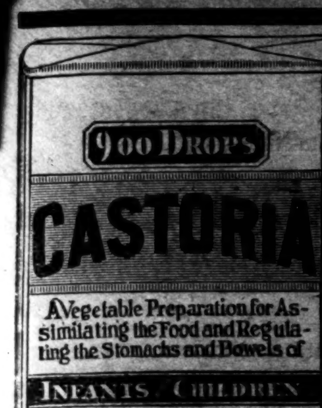
COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sep. 8.—With cables decidedly stronger and reflecting a continued active demand for English spinners for spot cotton, and with reports from the cotton belt very discouraging regarding weather conditions, and with misgivings regarding the government crop report to be issued Saturday, our market, while quiet, opened at an advance of 2 to 3 points and further improved 3 to 8 points. Buyers were, for the most part, shorts, who covered quite freely until it became apparent that outsiders were not very sharp after cotton on speculative or investment account. Traders generally are disposed to pursue a cautious policy until they hear from Washington next Saturday regarding the crop. One factor in the firmness to-day was the decided drop in the quicksilver in northern sections of the cotton belt which led to predictions of frost and stimulated the demand from shorts. At the best point to-day our market showed a net rise of ten points and closed steady, with prices six to ten points higher than those of last night.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Cotton steady; middling uplands 5 13 16c.

Cotton futures closed steady; September 5.56c, October 5.59c, November 5.61c, December 5.65c, January 5.69c, February 5.73c, March 5.77c, April 5.80, May 5



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Foreclosure.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by W. C. Craft and wife Jennie L. C. Craft and Thos. C. Craft and Lucy C. Craft to John D. Bellamy, recorded in Book No. 22, pages 381, 382, 383 of the records of New Hanover county, the undersigned as attorney, will on Monday, the 12th day of September, A. D. 1898, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of the county aforesaid, sell at public auction for cash, two certain tracts described in said mortgage. First, that lot in the State and county above named and City of Wilmington, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northern line of Princess street 66 feet east of the eastern line of Eighth street, running thence along said line of Princess street 66 feet, thence north and parallel with Eighth street 165 feet, thence west and parallel with Princess street 66 feet, thence south and parallel with Eighth street 165 feet to the beginning.

Also a Lot in the said city beginning at the northeastern intersection of Eighth and Princess streets, runs thence east with the eastern line of Princess street 66 feet, thence north and parallel with Eighth street 165 feet, thence west and parallel with Princess street 66 feet to the eastern line of Eighth street, thence south along Eighth street 165 feet to the beginning. Both tracts being in Block 185.

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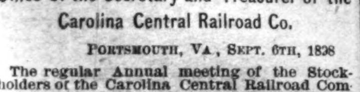

Office of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Carolina Central Railroad Co.

PORTSMOUTH, VA., SEPT. 6TH, 1898

The regular Annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Carolina Central Railroad Company will be held in the Front street office of the Company in the city of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, on Thursday, the 6th day of October, A. D., 1898, at one o'clock P. M.

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While baby sleeps
We cannot jump or dance or sing,
Play jolly games or do a thing
To make a noise. The floor might creak
If we should walk. We scarcely speak
Or breathe while baby takes a nap
Lest we should wake the little chap.
A strict watch nurse always keeps
While baby sleeps!

When baby wakes,
But little gratitude he shows
When other people want to doze.
At night, when folks have gone to bed,
He rouses them all up instead
To wait on him. Ma lights the lamp
And warms milk for the little scamp.
Pa walks him up and down the floor,
Sometimes two hours and sometimes more,
And nurse comes running, in a stew,
To see what she for him can do,
And Will and Harry, at the row,
Call, "What's the matter with him now?"
And I'm waked up at all the clatter
To wonder what on earth's the matter.
Such uproar in the house he makes
When baby wakes!

So, if asleep or if awake,
The house exists but for his sake,
And such a tiny fellow he
To be boss of this family!
—Eva Lovett in Independent.

INDIAN MAGIC.

It Is Often Beyond the Power of the Wisest to Explain It.

One need not go to the realms of space, or time, or figures to meet with the incomprehensible. Despite modern science and ingenuity this word still remains the only applicable epithet for some of the achievements of Indian conjurers. We can smile at the luminous appearance of the beautiful face before which as the revelation of Osiris the old Egyptians prostrated themselves in awe—for the marvels of the magic lantern are familiar to us, the early existence of gunpowder gives an easy explanation of the oracle's lightning and thunder, the weird harmony of Memnon was merely the result of an ingenious mechanical contrivance—but shrewd travelers of later date, whose veracity is beyond dispute, tell of much more inexplicable things than these. One of the best known writers on occultism, Jacolliot, has left an account of certain things he saw during his official sojourn in India which, as they seem to defy explanation, may fairly be classed among things incomprehensible. The performer was one whom he accidentally met and who required some persuasion before he would exhibit feats which, he continually affirmed, were the work of other intelligences.

On some sticks fixed upright in flowerpots were placed some leaves from a tree, with holes in each sufficiently large to make them fall to the level of the mold. Standing at a considerable distance, the fakir made a gesture with his hands. A slight breeze seemed to pervade the room, then the leaves quivered and gradually worked upward on the sticks. Jacolliot placed himself between the flowerpots and the operator, placed the sticks in the flooring and adopted every means he could imagine to frustrate any trickery, but nothing he did made any difference to the movement of the leaves.

The more familiar feat of the seemingly supernatural growth of flowers was utterly eclipsed by another instance vouched for by the same narrator. His own servant brought him a score or so of seeds, from which he selected and marked one. The fakir planted it in a pot of earth, muttered some words over it and fell into a sort of trance, which lasted about 30 minutes. He then awoke, uncovered the pot and discovered a seedling two or three inches high. Jacolliot examined it and found it had sprung from the seed which he had marked.

With a touch of a peacock's feather the fakir depressed a balance of a common weighing machine in daily use in the household, though in the other was a weight of 12 stone, and with a distant motion of his hand he made shavings of wood to sink or move in water. Still more marvelous is the description of the manner in which this veritable eastern wizard was able to set at defiance the law of gravity. On this occasion, when leaving the room, he paused on the threshold, folded his arms, and, by a simple act of volition, raised himself from the floor and remained poised in air for some minutes.—London Standard.

A Brave Woman.

Mrs. Lizzie Goodman lately walked 400 miles, from Memphis to St. Louis, carrying in her arms her crippled 5-year-old son. Her husband had died in poverty, and her granduncle, a farmer living near St. Louis, offered to give her and the child a home. The soles were worn off her shoes long before she reached the end of her journey, but the farmers all along the road were kind to her, giving her food and a night's lodging whenever she asked for it. In St. Louis some compassionate women supplied her with shoes, and she set out courageously to walk the few remaining miles to her uncle's home in Baden.—Boston Woman's Journal.

Not to Be Seen.

"I wouldn't be seen smoking a cigarette!" exclaimed the princess earnestly.

Accordingly she summoned her good fairy and bade that functionary lend her a match and render her invisible.

A HORRID SLANDER.

The Most Infamous That Ever Appeared in Print in This State.

The Alarmed Politicians are Trying to Break the Force of it by Resorting to Various Dodges, But They are Too Thin.

The infamous assault on the white women of this State which appeared on the 18th of August in the *Daily Record*, the negro paper published in this city, has aroused a storm of indignation from one end of the State to the other. We have received so many requests for copies of the STAR containing this article that we herewith reproduce it in full, the accuracy of which is certified to by Col. John D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, and by a number of our well-known business men. The article is headed:

Mrs. Felton's Speech.

"A Mrs. Felton, from Georgia, makes a speech before the Agricultural Society at Tybee, Ga., in which she advocates lynching as an extreme measure. This woman makes a strong plea for wamanhood, and if the alleged crimes or rape were half so frequent as is ofttimes reported, her plea would be worthy of consideration.

"Mrs. Felton, like many other so-called Christians, loses sight of the basic principle of the religion of Christ in her plea for one class of people as against another. If a missionary spirit is essential for the uplifting of the poor white girls, why is it? The The morals of the poor white people are on a par with their colored neighbors of like conditions, and if any one doubts the statement let him visit among them. The whole lump needs to be leavened by those who profess so much religion and showing them that the preservation of virtue is an essential for the life ot any people.

"Mrs. Felton begins well for she admits that education will better protect the girls on the farm from the assaulter. This we admit and it should not be confined to the white any more than to the colored girls. The papers are filled often with reports of rapes of white women, and the subsequent lynching of the alleged rapists. The editors pour forth volleys of aspersions against all negroes because of the few who may be guilty. If the papers and speakers of the other race would condemn the commission of crime because it is crime and not try to make it appear that the negroes were the only criminals, they would find their strongest allies in the intelligent negroes themselves, and together the whites and blacks would root the evil out of both races.

"We suggest that the whites guard their women more closely, as Mrs. Felton says, thus giving no opportunity for the human fiend, be he white or black. **You leave your goods out of doors and then complain because they are taken away.** Poor white men are careless in the matter of protecting their women, especially on farms. They are careless of their conduct toward them **and our experience among poor white people in the country teaches us that the women of that race are not any more particular in the matter of clandestine meetings with colored men, than are the white men with colored women. Meetings of this kind go on for some time until the woman's infatuation or the man's boldness, bring attention to them and the man is lynched for rape. Every negro lynched is called a 'big, burly, black brute,' when in fact many of those who have thus been dealt with had white men for their fathers, and were not only not 'black' and 'burly' but were sufficiently attractive for white girls of culture and refinement to fall in love with them as is well known to all."**

"Mrs. Felton must begin at the fountain head if she wishes to purify the stream.

"Teach your men purity. Let virtue be something more than an excuse for them to intimidate and torture a helpless people. Tell your men that it is no worse for a black man to be intimate with a white woman, than for a white man to be intimate with a colored woman.

You set yourselves down as a lot of carping hypocrites; in fact you cry aloud for the virtue of your women while you seek to destroy the morality of ours. Don't think ever that your women will remain pure while you are debauching ours. You sow the seed—the harvest will come in due time."

THE AFFIDAVIT OF THE CLERK.

An effort has been made by some of the politicians to fool the people by representing that this slander was a Democratic trick or was garbled, but the following affidavit from the Clerk of the Superior Court settles the question as to its accuracy:

NORTH CAROLINA,
NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

I, John D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, do hereby certify that the foregoing is an accurate and true copy of an editorial in the *Daily Record*, a paper published in the city of Wilmington, of date Aug. 18, 1898.

"I further certify that said paper has been published in said city at least eight months prior to this date; that Alex. L. Manly, the editor, is a negro, is well known as a Republican and has before this held the office of Deputy Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, by appointment from Charles W. Norwood, Republican Register of Deeds, of New Hanover county.

"I further certify that John N. Goins, business manager; L. D. Manly, foreman; Jno. T. Howe, general traveling agent; and F. G. Manly, general manager, are all negroes, and are known as Republicans and the said Jno. T. Howe was a Republican Representative from New Hanover county in the Legislature of 1897. Witness my hand and seal this August 24th, 1898. JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk Superior Court of New Hanover Co.

Who Manly Is.

As the Republican politicians in this county could not call this assault a Democratic trick, or say it was garbled, they tried to break the force of it by repudiating the paper as a party organ and characterizing the editor as a "simpleton" who represents no one but himself. The following affidavit from a number of business men of Wilmington testifies to the accuracy of the published slander, tells who Manly and his associates on the *Record* are and shows that Manly was not regarded as a simpleton, or a nobody before he startled the bosses by the publication of that awful article:

CITIZENS TESTIFY.

B. G. Worth, of the Worth Co.; R. W. Hicks, wholesale grocer; C. E. Borden, president of Navassa Guano Co.; W. L. DeRosset, commander of N. C. Division Confederate Veterans, and John C. Springer, of the firm of W. E. Springer & Co., each being duly sworn says that he has read the foregoing paper, and that the said is an accurate and true copy of an editorial in the *Daily Record* of the date August 18th, 1898; that said paper, the *Daily Record*, has been published in the city of Wilmington at least eight months prior to this date, and Alex. L. Manly, the editor thereof, is a negro, is well known as a Republican and has held the position of Deputy Register of Deeds in New Hanover county under the Republicans.

Affiants further say that John N. Goins, business manager, L. D. Manly, foreman, John T. Howe, general travelling agent, and F. G. Manly, general manager, are all negroes, and Republicans, and the said John T. Howe was a Republican Representative from New Hanover county in the Legislature of 1897.

W. L. DEROSSET,
JOHN C. SPRINGER,
B. G. WORTH,
R. W. HICKS,
CHAS. E. BORDEN.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER.

Personally appeared before me, Wm. L. DeRossett, B. G. Worth, John C. Springer, R. W. Hicks and Charles E. Borden, shown to me to be the persons they represent themselves to be, and made oaths that the above statement is correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

JOHN TURRENTINE,
Notary Public.

CAWDOR CASTLE.

How Macbeth, Who Founded It, Happened to Select Its Site.

The late Earl of Cawdor was the owner of two charming residences in Wales—Stackpole Court, Pembrokeshire, where he died, and Golden Grove, Carmarthenshire—but these were mere pleasure houses by comparison with the ancestral home of the Campbells, Cawdor castle at Nairn. This fine north British dwelling remained almost undisturbed from the death of Sir Hugh Campbell in 1716 for a period of nearly 150 years, when it was conscientiously restored by its late owner. Cawdor castle itself had its rise in a fierce and wild age, around which traditions of a hazy nature cluster. It is a legend in Nairn that the murder by Macbeth was committed in an old chamber of the castle tower, and visitors wishing to conduct themselves with gravity and respectful reverence are expected to receive this story with an expression of solemnity not untinged with awe. That the "silver skin" of King Duncan was "laced with his golden blood" in this particular apartment is a fable that need not now be enlarged upon.

Cawdor castle by its outward aspect is, however, strongly suggestive in its gaunt and minatory massiveness of the fierce and troublous times of the ambitious Macbeth. The story goes that the thane who founded it was much concerned about the choice of an abode and was warned in a dream to place his worldly wealth in a coffer and to bind it upon the back of an ass and wherever the animal should halt to set about his work. The ass "came to a sandstill at the russetburn at the third hawthorn from the starting point" and lay down. Curiously enough, as if to confirm this tradition, to this day in the dungeon beneath the tower a hawthorn grows. The other two trees have disappeared, the last one as lately as 1836. Many stirring tales are told of the later history of Cawdor castle, which came to be left untenanted for long years owing to the Campbells departing for Wales, where they married young ladies with ample fortunes.—St. James Gazette.

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Statement of ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK, Wilmington, N. C.

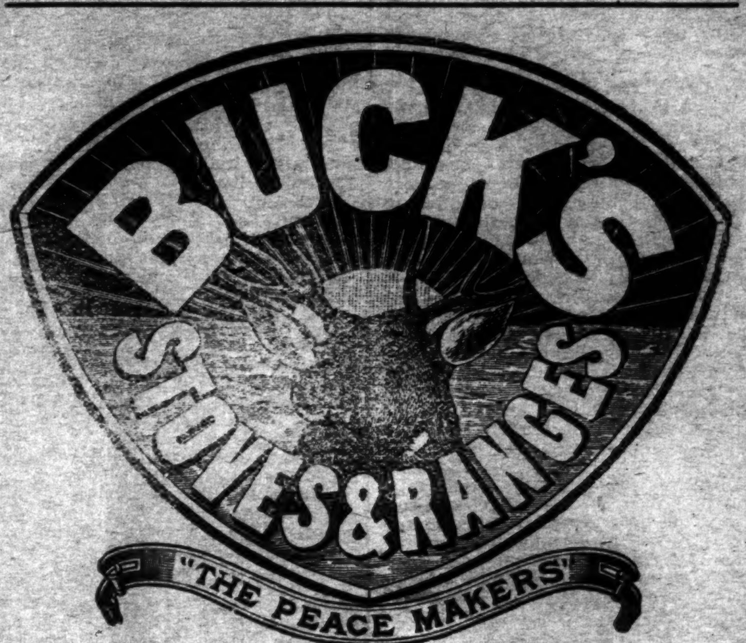
At the close of Business July 14th, 1898. Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$543,955 82	Capital	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	167 97	Surplus $70,000 00	
U. S. 4 per cent. Bonds (at par)	40,100 00	Undivided profits 9,953 25—	79,953 25
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000 00	Circulation	36,000 00
Due from other Banks $109,664 22		Total Deposits	561,976 40
Cash on hand 99,741 94—	209,406 16		
Total	$802,929 65	Total	$802,929 65

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT:

	July 14, '96.	July 14, '97.	July 14, '98.
Total Deposits	$484,000	$514,000	$562,000
Surplus and Net Profits	56,700	69,000	79,900
Bills Payable and Re-discounts	NONE.	NONE.	NONE.

Dividends paid—6 per cent. per annum.
Last Instalment of Capital paid in October, 1892. jy 28 tf



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BIRMINGHAM, Ala.,
Nov. 12, 1897.

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Schedule in Effect May 29, 1898.

TO ALL POINTS

North, South and Southwest.

Train 41—Leaves Wilmington 3:20 p. m., leaves Lumberton 5:15 p.m., Pembroke 5:35 p. m., Maxton 6:12 p. m., Laurinburg 6:23 p. m., Hamlet 6.58 p. m., Wadesboro 8:11 p. m., Monroe 9:12 p. m., Charlotte 10:25 p. m. Connects at Monroe with train 41 for Atlanta, and and at Hamlet with train 402 for Portsmouth, Richmond, Washington and points North.

Train 41—Leaves Portsmouth 9 20 a. m., leaves Weldon 11:50 a. m., Raleigh 3:40 p. m., Sanford 5:05 p. m., Hamlet 6:56 p. m., Athens 3:43 a. m., and Atlanta 5:20 a. m.

Train 403—Leaves Washington 4:40 p. m., Richmond 8:56 p. m., Portsmouth 8:45 p. m. leaves Weldon 11:28 p. m., Raleigh 2:16 a. m., Sanford 3:33 a. m., Hamlet 5:07 a. m., Rockingham 5:23 a. m., Wadesboro 5:53 a. m., Monroe 6:43 a. m., Charlotte 7:50 a. m., Lincolnton 10:35 a. m., Shelby 11:37 a. m., Rutherfordton 12:50 noon, Athens 1:13 p. m., Atlanta 2:50 p. m.

Train 38—Leaves Atlanta 7:50 p. m., Athens 11:13 p. m., Monroe 6:05 a. m. Leaves Charlotte 5:10 a. m., Monroe 5:55 a. m., Wadesboro 7:01 a. m., Hamlet 8:00 a. m., Raleigh 11:25 a. m., Weldon 2:45 p. m.; arrive Portsmouth 5:20 p. m.

Train 38—Leaves Hamlet 8:30 a. m. Arrives Laurinburg 8:46 a. m., Maxton 9.05 a. m., Pembroke 9:31 a. m., Lumberton 9:53 a. m., Wilmington 12.05 noon.

Train 402—Leaves Atlanta 12:00 m. leaves Athens 3:13 p. m., Monroe 9:40 p. m. Leaves Rutherfordton 4:35 p. m., arrives Shelby 5:55 p. m., Lincolnton 6:56 p. m., Charlotte 8:28 p. m., Monroe 9:40 p. m., Wadesboro 10:31 p. m., Rockingham 11:15 p. m., Hamlet 11:15 p. m., Sanford 1:02 a. m., Raleigh 2:16 a. m., Weldon 4:55 a. m., Portsmouth 7:25 a. m., Richmond 8:20 a. m., Washington 12:31 noon.

Train 18—Leaves Hamlet 7:15 p. m., arrives Gibson 8:10 p. m. Returning, leaves Gibson 6:50 a. m., arrives Hamlet 7:40 a. m.

Train 17—Leaves Hamlet 8:40 a. m., arrives Cheraw 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Cheraw 5:00 p. m., arrives Hamlet 6:20 p. m.

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Condensed Schedule

In Effect July 3rd, 1898.

NORTH BOUND.	No. 2 DAILY.
Leave Wilmington	8 30 A. M.
Arrive Fayetteville	11 40 "
Leave Fayetteville	11 50 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	11 54 "
Leave Sanford	1 08 P. M
Leave Climax	3 10 "
Arrive Greensboro	3 40 "
Leave Greensboro	3 50 "
Leave Stokesdale	4 37 "
Leave Walnut Cove	5 07 "
Leave Rural Hall	5 36 "
Arrive Mt. Airy	7 00 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 1 DAILY.
Leave Mt. Airy	8 45 A. M.
Leave Rural Hall	10 09 "
Leave Walnut Cove	10 36 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Greensboro	11 55 "
Leave Greensboro	12 18 P. M
Leave Climax	12 42 "
Leave Sanford	2 30 "
Leave Fayetteville Junction	3 49 "
Arrive Fayetteville	3 52 "
Leave Fayetteville	4 02 "
Arrive Wilmington	7 05 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 4. DAILY.
Leave Bennettsville	8 00 A. M
Arrive Maxton	9 03 "
Leave Maxton	9 07 "
Leave Red Springs	9 35 "
Leave Hope Mills	10 20 "
Arrive Fayetteville	10 40 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 3. DAILY.
Leave Fayetteville	4 33 P. M.
Leave Hope Mills	4 52 "
Leave Red Springs	5 35 "
Arrive Maxton	6 09 "
Leave Maxton	6 15 "
Arrive Bennettsville	7 15 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16. Mixed Daily Ex Sunday.
Leave Ramseur	6 40 A. M.
Leave Climax	8 30 "
Arrive Greensboro	9 17 "
Leave Greensboro	9 35 "
Leave Stokesdale	11 07 "
Arrive Madison	11 55 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. Mixed Daily Ex Sunday
Leave Madison	12 30 P. M.
Leave Stokesdale	1 15 "
Arrive Greensboro	2 30 "
Leave Greensboro	3 00 "
Leave Climax	3 50 "
Arrive Ramseur	5 30 "

CONNECTIONS.

At Fayetteville with the Atlantic Coast Line, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad at Greensboro with the Southern Railway Company, at Walnut Cove with the Norfolk and Western Railway.

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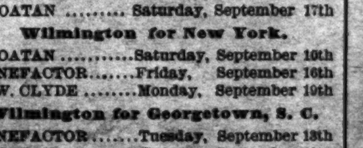

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect July 28, 1898.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND

DAILY 9.35 A. M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.46 a. m., Warsaw 11.14 a. m., Goldsboro 12:08 a. m., Wilson 12:49 p. m., Rocky Mount 1:30 p. m., Tarboro 2:31 p. m., Weldon 3.25 p. m., Petersburg 5.34 p. m., Richmond 6:40 p. m., Norfolk 5.55 p. m., Washington 11:30 p. m., Baltimore 1:03 a. m., Philadelphia 3:50 a. m., New York 6:53 a. m., †Boston 3:00 p. m.

DAILY 7.15 P. M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8:55 p. m., Warsaw 9:10 p. m., Goldsboro 10:10 p. m., Wilson 11.06 p. m., †Tarboro 6:45 a. m., Rocky Mount 11:57 p. m. Weldon 1:48 a. m., †Norfolk 10:15 a. m., Petersburg 3:14 a. m., Richmond 4 a. m., Washington 7:41 a. m., Baltimore 9:02 a. m., Philadelphia 11:25 a. m., New York 2.03 p. m., Boston 9:00 p. m.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M. No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4:13 p. m., Newbern 5:40 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4:56 p. m., Chadbourn 5:26 p. m., Marion 6:34 p. m., Florence 7:15 p. m. Sumter 9:32 p. m., Columbia 10:50 p. m., Denmark 6:12 a. m., Augusta 7:55 a. m., Macon 11:15 a. m., Atlanta 12:35 p. m. Charleston 10:50 p. m., Savannah a. m., Jacksonville 7:30 a. m., St. Augustine 10:30 a. m., Tampa 6:05 p. m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.40 P. M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave †Boston 1:0[illegible] p. m., *New York 9:00 p. m., Philadelphia 12:05 a. m., Baltimore 2:50 a. m., Washington 4:30 a. m., Richmond 9:0[illegible] a. m., Petersburg 10:00 a. m., Norfolk 9:10 a. m., Weldon 11:50 a. m., Tarboro 12:20 p. m., Rocky Mount 1:10 p. m., Wilson 2:20 p. m., Goldsboro 3:05 p. m., Warsaw 3:59 p. m., Magnolia 4.12 p. m.

DAILY 9.30 A. M. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9:30 a. m., Philadelphia 12:09 p. m., Baltimore 2:25 p. m., Washington 3:46 p. m., Richmond 7:30 p. m., Petersburg 8:12 p. m., †Norfolk 2:20 p. m., Weldon 9:43 p. m., †Tarboro 6:00 p. m., Rocky Mount 5:40 a. m., Leave Wilson 6:22 a. m., Goldsboro 7:01 a. m., Warsaw 7.53 a. m., Magnolia 8:05 a. m.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9:00 a. m., Jacksonville 10:26 a. m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 12.20 P. M. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8:10 a. m., Sanford 3:07 p. m., Jacksonville 8:00 p. m., Savannah 1:45 a. m., Charleston 6:33 a. m., Columbia 5.45 a. m., Atlanta 7:50 a. m., Macon 9:00 a. m., Augusta 2:30 p. m., Denmark 4:17 p. m., Sumter 6:05 a. m., Florence 8:55 a. m. Marion 9:24 a. m., Chadbourn 10:30 a. m., Lake Waccamaw 11:09 p. m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 4:15 p. m., Halifax 4:30 p. m.; arrive Scotland Neck 5:20 p. m., Greenville 6:57 p. m., Kinston 7:55 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:50 a. m., Greenville 8:52 a. m.; arriving Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11:33 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:20 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; arrive Parmele 9:10 a. m. and 4:00 p. m.; returning leaves Parmele 9:35 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.; arrives Washington 11:00 a. m. and 7:20 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5:30 p. m.; Sunday, 4:15 p. m.; arrives Plymouth 7:40 p. m. and 6:10 p. m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7:50 a. m. and Sunday 9:00 a. m.; arrive Tarboro 10:05 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 7:10 a. m.; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 8:30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfied 9:00 a. m.; arrive Goldsboro 10:25 a. m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p. m.; arrives Nashville 5.05 p. m., Spring Hope 5.30 p. m. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8.00 a. m., Nashville 8.35 a. m.; arrive Rocky Mount .05 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 11.20 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. Returning, leave Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 2.45 p. m.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 9.06 a. m., arrive Latta 9.24 a. m., Dillon 9.35 a. m., Rowland 9.50 a. m. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 p. m.; arrives Dillon 6.20 p. m., Latta 6.35 p. m., Pee Dee 7.00 p. m., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 9:25 a. m., Chadbourn 10:43 a. m.; arrive Conway 12:40 p. m.; leave Conway 2:45 p. m., Chadbourn 5:30 p. m.; arrive Hub 6:10 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 6:05 p. m., Manning 6:35 p. m.; arrive Lane's 7:13 p. m.; leave Lane's 8:34 a. m., Manning 9:08 a. m.; arrive Sumter 9:37 a. m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9:30 a. m., 7:40 p. m.; arrive Georgetown 12:00 m., 9:00 p. m.; leave Georgetown 7:00 a. m.; 3:30 p. m.; arrive Lane's 8:25 a. m.; 5:55 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8:45 a. m.; arrive Darlington 9:18 a. m., Cheraw 10:50 a. m., Wadesboro 2:25 p. m.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8:25 p. m.; arrive Darlington 8.50 p. m., Hartsville —— p. m., Bennettsville 9:46 p. m., Gibson 10:10 p. m. Leave Florence Sunday only 8.50 a. m., arrive Darlington 9.20 a. m.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6:25 a. m., Bennettsville 6:49 a. m.; arrive Darlington 7:40 a. m. Leave Darlington 7:45 a. m.; arrive Florence 8:10 a. m. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 3:00 p. m., Cheraw 5:15 p. m., Hartsville 2:15 a. m., Darlington 6.29 a. m.; arrive Florence 7:00 p. m. Leave Darlington Sunday only 7.50 a. m., arrive Florence 8.15 a. m.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2:17 p. m., 11:13 p. m.; arrive Selma 2.50 p. m., 11:58 p. m., Smithfield 3:02 p. m., Dunn 3:30 p. m., Fayetteville 4:25 p. m., 1:07 a. m., Rowland 6:00 p. m.; returning leave Rowland 9.50 a. m. Fayetteville 11:10 a. m., 10:35 p. m., Dunn 11:50 p. m., Smithfield 12:28 p. m., Selma 12:35 p. m. and 11:44 p. m., arrive Wilson 1:17 p. m., 12:19 a. m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad trains leave Sumter 4:29 a. m., Creston 5:17 a. m.; arrive Denmark 6:12 a. m. Returning leave Denmark 4:17 p. m., Creston 5:18 p. m., Sumter 6:33 p. m. Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5:45 a. m.; arrives Pregnalls 9:15 a. m. Returning, leaves Pregnalls 10:00 a. m.; arrives Creston 3:50 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliot 11:10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; arrive Lucknow 1:00 p. m and 8:30 p. m. Returning, leave Lucknow 6:05 a. m. and 2:00 p. m.; arrive Elliot 8:25 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

†Daily except Sunday. *Sunday only.

H. M. EMERSON,
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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

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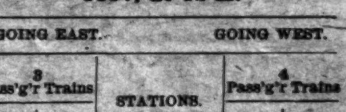

To Take Effect Sunday, Nov. 28, 1897, at 12 M.

GOING EAST. GOING WEST.

3 Pass'g'r Trains		STATIONS.	4 Pass'g'r Trains	
Arrive	Leave		Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	....
5 35	5 45	Newbern	8 57	9 10
6 57	7 02	Morehead City	7 42	7 47
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

Congressional Commission Make a Tour of the Group—Natives Well Disposed—The Deposed Queen.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, September 8.—The steamer Glengyle, which arrived today from Hong Kong and Yokohama via Honolulu, brought the following advices from Honolulu under date of August 31st:

"The Congressional commission, with the exception of President Dole, left for the other islands on August 22nd and returned on August 28th, after visiting the principal towns of Maui and Hawaii.

In speaking of the trip, Senator Morgan said: "I think we accomplished some good on the tour. I think we very effectively disposed of the prevalent idea among the natives that annexation was only a war measure. We are satisfied that the Hawaiians now thoroughly understand our position and that when we speak we do so by authority.

Ex-Queen Lilioukalani arrived at Hilo at the same time the commissioners arrived, and accompanied them in a separate conveyance to the volcano. She was introduced to members of the commission, but no political talk was indulged in. On the voyage from Iahaina members of the Congressional party were presented with royal leis by order of the ex-Queen, and Senator Cullom, Minister Sewall and others personally thanked the former ruler of the island for the pretty gifts.

General Merriam stated that his orders from Washington are to hold everything at Honolulu until he hears from the government again. These instructions applo to the Tacoma and her live stock as well as to the Arizona and her troops.

The steamship Arizona has arrived here with the Third battalion, Eighteenth infantry, recruits of the First Colorado, First Nebraska, Tenth Pennsylvania and Third artillery, in all 1,260 men, besides General Morrison and the Red Cross corps.

The Honolulu Stock Exchange has been organized.

Chinese Memorial.

The Chinese of the Hawaiian islands have presented a memorial to the members of the Congressional Commission, asking that all the Chinese that have become naturalized under the laws of Hawaii, and all children born in Hawaii, be permitted the right of transit to and from all parts of the United States; that in the laws affecting the immigration of Chinese labor, special provision be made for importation by the owners of rice plantations; that the Chinese be permitted to bring into this country their children from China and also women of good character; that Chinese merchants be permitted to import clerks for their business establishments; that Chinese be given the same privileges as given to other residents in the community; that the system of penal labor contracts be abolished.

There is much distress here among a large number of people who have rushed to the Hawaiian islands, expecting to engage in business. They have come with but little money and they find that there is nothing here for them to do.

CAST UP BY THE WAVES.

Bodies of Naval Cadet Wheeler and Lieutenant Kirkpatrick Recovered at Camp Wikoff.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAMP WIKOFF, MONTAUK POINT, September 8.—The bodies of Naval Cadet Thomas H. Wheeler, the son of Major General Joseph Wheeler, and of Second Lieutenant Newton D. Kirkpatrick, of the First United States cavalry, who were drowned while bathing in the sea yesterday, came in with the tide and were thrown on the beach about 2 o'clock this morning. The bodies were found lying close together just below the life-saving station, about a quarter of a mile from where the young men had gone in bathing. A detail of sixty men from the Second cavalry had been patrolling the beach with lanterns. The life-savers who know the coast had predicted that the bodies would drift in where they did. It was here that the bodies of the twenty-two Shinnecock Indians, who were lost in the wreck of the Circassian, were found.

Two rude biers were formed out of planks taken from near the life-saving station and the bodies placed upon them. In the meantime the cavalrymen had gathered from up and down the beach and followed the bodies to General Wheeler's headquarters. With General Wheeler were three of his daughters, who were in camp nursing the sick. General Wheeler and his daughters will accompany the remains of the General's son to the family home in Wheeler, Ga. The party will probably go to New York to-night, or to-morrow morning at the latest.

The body of Lieutenant Newton D. Kirkpatrick, who was drowned with young Wheeler, will be taken to the home of his father, R. D. Kirkpatrick, of Lexington, Va. The War Department has been requested to detail an officer to accompany Lieutenant Kirkpatrick's remains to Virginia.

President McKinley and a large number of other officials in Washington have sent messages to General Wheeler expressing the greatest sympathy for him. General Shafter called upon the bereaved officer before going to New York this morning, and remained with him half an hour.

QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS.

Nothing to Prevent Persons Entering or Passing Through New Orleans.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—Officials of the Southern Railway state authoritatively that there are no quarantine restrictions which will prevent persons from entering or passing through New Orleans or Shreveport, La., the lines to and from the South being entirely open through these points. They do not believe that there is any yellow fever in New Orleans, nor in the vicinity of Shreveport, and indications, they say, are, that all apprehensions of spread of yellow fever in the South will be allayed in the next two or three days.

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PARIS PEACE CONFERENCE.

Differences in the Spanish Cabinet Prevent Appointment of the Commissioners.

DISORDER IN THE CHAMBERS.

Opinion Prevails That a Republic Will be Established in the Philippines. Text of the Peace Bill—General Polavieja's Party.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MADRID, September 8.—The Spanish cabinet, at its meeting this morning, agreed to take the most stringent measures to prevent the publication of the proceedings of the Cortes and to provide for the censorship of telegraphic dispatches.

The newspapers assert that the government is greatly surprised and chagrined at the attitude of the Conservatives in the Chamber, which indicates that the government is isolated on questions of such magnitude as the conclusion of the peace treaty. Continuing, the Spanish papers express the opinion that this foreshadows the downfall of the ministry.

It appears that many of the government supporters abstained from voting last night. This fact is greatly commented upon.

The disorderly scenes witnessed in the chamber yesterday evening would have shamed a bull-ring. Fists and sticks were shaken in the air and invectives were to be heard on all sides. As a result, several duels are expected to take place.

It is understood here that Spain intended to bargain at the Paris peace conference to retain part of the Philippine islands; but the impression somehow prevails that a republic will be established there under the protectorate of the United States, Great Britain and Germany.

General Polavieja, the former Captain General of Cuba and of the Philippine islands, who has just issued a manifesto, intimating that he is ready to place himself at the head of a neutral political party, is understood to be recruiting a strong party of discontented Liberals and others, with the object, it is claimed, of restoring the military preponderence of the government.

Gen. Polavieja's Party.

General Polavieja's new party is assuming the greatest importance. His programme has met with the warm approval of the great newspapers, particularly *El Imparcial*, *El Heraldo* and *El Nacional*. The latter, until lately, had supported General Weyler, but it will rally now to General Polavieja, who proposes a reorganization of Spain from the financial and political view points.

It is understood that General Polavieja decided to organize a new party after several conferences with a "high personage" who, however, has not interfered directly in the formaiion of the party, His manifesto is now under consideration. If the military censor refuses to grant an exquater, the manifesto will be read in the Chamber of Deputies.

The general conviction is that as soon as the treaty of peace is signed the Sagasta cabinet will resign and be replaced by either a Silva or a Polavieja ministry.

Senor Sagasta said this evening: "The nomination of the peace commission is delayed because the commissioners ought to have the full confidence of the government; but who can say who will be in power a month hence?"

Text of the Peace Bill.

LONDON, September 9.—According to the Madrid correspondent of the *Times* the following is the text of the bill authorizing the government to conclude peace:

The reverses suffered by our arms in the unequal struggle to which we were driven in order to defend the honor of the nation and maintain its rights, deprived us at an early stage of the elements required for continuing the war.

"The bravery of our soldiers and sailors proved insufficient, as did the calm attitude of the nation, ever ready to shed its blood and sacrifice its resources for the honor of the Spanish flag.

"Separated by wide seas from the territories it was our object to protect and these territories being closely blockaded so that our few remaining ships could not reach them, Her Majesty's government has been compelled to admit the bitter truth which is that an end must be put to the war.

"The sense of responsibility entailed by the preliminary peace negotiations has weighed most heavily on the government. Notwithstanding it fully appreciated its duty toward the country, the government has had to consent to these preliminary negotiations and to bow to the cruel sacrifices imposed by sheer necessity. For this reason and because peace must be purchased at the cost of a cession of territory and the abandonment of sovereign rights, the government has thought it expedient to sound the Cortes before concluding the treaty, the ratification of which will be duly notified to both chambers in accordance with constitutional law.

"The government, whose moderate language will not be found fault with by the representatives of the nation, limits itself to submitting to the Cortes the following bill, whose first and only article is:

"The government is authorized to renounce rights of sovereignty and to cede territory in the Spanish colonies, in accordance with the peace preliminaries agreed upon with the government of the United States of America.'"

The *Times'* correspondent says the bill is signed by all the ministers.

THE AMERICAN FLAG.

Stars and Stripes Raised With the British Union-Jack and Royal Standard.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, September 8.—The stars and stripes were raised to-day with the British union-jack and the royal standard on the marquee, erected on Salisbury plain, during the march past of the troops at the end of the army manœuvres, as a compliment to Col. Alfred H. Bates, the United States military attache; Henry White, secretary of the United States embassy, and Mrs. White, who went there by a special train with Lord Wolseley, the commander-in-chief of the British forces, Prince Christian, the Duke of Connaught and other notabilities. The foreign military attaches seemed to be surprised at the sight of the American flag.

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INSTRUCTIONS FROM MADRID.

American Commissioners Expected to Arrive To-day—Affairs on the Island—Tobacco Crop—Work on Sugar Estates Resumed.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

HAVANA, September 8, 6 P. M.—The Spanish mail steamer Ciudad de Cadiz which arrived this afternoon brought instructions from the Madrid government to the Spanish evacuation commissioners, dealing with the details of the evacuation, the questions of fortifications, buildings, mortgages and other properties of the state to be renounced by Spain along with her sovereignty in the island.

The joint sessions of the commissioners will be held behind closed doors in the palace of the colonial government, and it is understood that the utmost secrecy will be observed, all avenues of information being zealously guarded.

The United States transport Resolute, with the American military commissioners, is expected to arrive tomorrow. The commissioners, it is announced here, will live on board the transport, coming ashore each morning and returning in the afternoon to the vessel. Special precautions will be taken to insure absolute order and to prevent any hostile demonstration that might possibly be made.

On Tuesday last, acting upon the advice of the colonial council of secretaries, General Blanco issued a decree authorizing the municipality of Havana to apply to the payment of certain other preferred obligations those sums which, as provided in the municipal budget, should be applied in payment of interest and mortgages overdue on loans of 7,000,000 and 3,000,000 pesetas respectively, and directing the Banco Espanol to turn over to the municipal treasury all sums collected under these heads, suspending this quarter's payment of interest on the bonds issued for these loans. Despite the agreement of the council and General Blanco's approval, the Banco Espanol decided, in order to maintain credit, to advance the money to pay the interest due the bondholders on the loan, protesting against the council's agreement.

The local government is in debt to all its civil employes. It owes eight months salary to those appointed before the establishment of autonomy in the island, and four months salary to those named since.

The tobacco crop at Vuelta Abajo promises to be the smallest on record. The principal reason is the scarcity of oxen, which were stolen by the insurgents or confiscated by the Spanish commanders to feed the troops. Many of the sugar estates, however, have begun work in different parts of the island. Messrs. Pearson, Simpson and Vandama, respectively the administrator engineer and inspector of the Western railroad, have gone to the province of Pinar del Rio to make surveys for an extension of the road to the extreme western end of the island, passing through San Luis, San Juan and Guano.

General Solano, who succeeded General Pando as chief of staff to General Blanco, will go on board the Resolute on her arrival to receive and welcome the American commissioners.

YELLOW FEVER AT SANTIAGO

Five Cases in the Fifth Immune Regiment—Appalling Destitution Among the Cubans

By Cable to the Morning Star.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, September 8.—Six cases of yellow fever have developed in Colonel Sargent's Fifth immune regiment. The cases have been watched closely for several days and in the opinion of Colonel Havard, chief surgeon of the military department of Santiago, the diagnosis is unmistakably correct. The victims have been sent to the yellow fever hospital and a strict quarantine has been established against the regiment, which is encamped on the hills along the Morro road, about two miles south of the city. There is a great deal of sickness in this regiment, but in the opinion of the surgeons, no more yellow fever. All the other regiments now doing garrison duty are in fairly good health.

No uneasiness is felt by General Lawton or General Wood. The four members of the Fifth regular infantry who were sent to the hospital ten days ago, when they disembarked from the transport Knickerbocker from Tampa, are doing well. The battalion is still isolated, but no new cases have developed.

The destitution among the Cubans is still appalling. General Wood issued 52,000 free rations yesterday. The capacity of the free supply depots is not great enough to meet the demand, and a new one is to be established shortly.

NO FEVER IN KEY WEST.

Florida Health Officers Remove the Quarantine Restrictions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA., September 8.—A special to the *Times-Union and Citizen* from Key West, says: "State Health Officer Porter, Dr. Murray, of the Marine Hospital Service, concurring, issued a proclamation to-day raising the quarantine, thus removing all restrictions upon travel to and from Key West.

"DR. Porter has maintained from the day of the first announcement that yellow fever existed in this city, that the sickness which prevailed here at that time was not yellow fever. The course of events has borne out this opinion. The fever which has existed here this Summer has been diagnosed as dengue, and is a very mild type. Key West doors are now wide open, everything has put on new life, and business is booming."

CAMP WIKOFF.

Only Regulars Remain—Five Thousand Horse and Eight Thousand Foot.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAMP WIKOFF, MONTAUK POINT, L. I., September 8.—This is now a camp of regulars, 5,000 horse and 8,000 foot. The last of the volunteers, save the Rough Riders and the sick, left for their homes to-day. Eleven hundred recruits for the regular infantry arrived to-night from Southern posts.

The death list to-day numbered eleven.

BASHI-BAZOUKS AND CHRISTIANS.

Three Hundred Natives and Sixty-Seven British Subjects Killed in Candia.

THE RIOTING SUPPRESSED.

Eight Warships in the Harbor—British German and Spanish Consulates Plundered—The Turkish Garrison to be Expelled.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ATHENS, Sep. 8.—The following dispatch, dated at 8 o'clock this evening, has been received from Candia:

"The Bashi Bazouks are committing excesses and the Christians in the surrounding districts are arming to march to the assistance of the Candians.

"There are eight warships in the harbor and a fresh bombardment is expected.

"The British, German and Spanish consulates have been looted; and thus far three hundred native Christians and sixty-seven British subjects have been killed."

The *Asty* says it learns from an authentic source that as soon as the British troops arrive at Candia from Malta, the Turkish garrison in Candia will be expelled, martial law proclaimed and the ring-leaders of the riots put on trial and publicly hanged if found guilty.

According to a dispatch from Candia, sent late this evening, the admirals of the international fleet have decided to compel the disarming of the Bashi Bazouks and the surrender of the instigators of the disorder.

Order Restored.

CANDIA, September 8.—A detachment of international troops, which has just arrived here, has occupied the fortifications and restored order.

It is now estimated that two hundred persons were killed during the rioting. The Mussulman troops protected the Christians placed under their care, but they did not attempt to prevent the pillage of Christian houses, which continued until the international troops arrived.

Stories of the Massacre.

LONDON, September 9.—The correspondent of the *Standard* telegraphing from the British battleship Camperdown, off Candia, says:

"The refugees tell ghastly stories of the massacre. They report that no fewer than seven hundred Christians are missing. Several attempts were made last night to set on fire the office of the Eastern Telegraph Company. It has been ascertained that all the houses overlooking the British camp were loop-holed for rifle fire and barricaded.

This shows clearly that the outbreak was preconcerted. The behavior and attitude of the Turkish troops have been and still are inexplicable. Without going so far as to assert that they took part in the attack on our troops, though many people are ready to affirm on oath that they actually saw the Sultan's soldiers firing on our men—it is impossible to controvert the positive fact that they made no attempt to render assistance.

"Every Christian survivor of the massacre swears that the butchery was mostly the work of Turkish soldiers, who first robbed aud then slew their victims.

"Edhem Pasha is the man who ought to be held primarily responsible. Had he wished to prevent bloodshed he would most certainly have done so.

"Not till the British troops, under Colonel Reid, had been fighting hard for four hours did Edhem, with his Turkish soldiers, arrive upon the scene. He had then the effrontery to say that he had only just heard the British troops were being attacked by thousands of Bashi-Bazouks.

"It is needless to comment on this brazen faced lie. It is enough to say that Edhem Pasha must have known what was happening from the moment the first shot was fired, if, indeed, he did not arrange the plot himself."

COLORADO CONVENTIONS.

Delegates Representing Four Political Parties Assembled at Colorado Springs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL., September 8.—Four State conventions, representing the Democratic, Populist, Fusion and Anti-Fusion Silver Republicans, assembled in this city today, each in a separate hall. Further conflicts over the possession of the opera house between the warring factions of the silver Republican party was averted by an agreement which was reached by the leaders to hold separate conventions in other halls.

The Teller Silver Republicans met in Durkee hall. Senator Teller was made temporary chairman. He made a speech in which he reiterated his well known views on the silver question and added:

"I have no apologies to make for voting for Mr. Bryan. (Cheers.) I will say I would gladly support him in 1900 again." (Cheers.)

Senator Teller declared President McKinley was an enemy of silver. He advocated retention of the Philippines.

The anti-Teller Silver Republicans met in Coburn Hall. Simon Guggenheim, of Denver, was nominated for Governor by this faction.

The Democratic convention assembled in Temple Theatre.

The Populist State Convention was called to order at 2 o'clock. A fusion committee of seven was named to meet like committees from the Teller Silver Republicans and the Democrats.

The three conventions named then adjourned until to-morrow.

PORTO RICAN ADVICES.

Cruiser Cincinnati at San Juan—The Evacuation Commission.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN JUAN DE PORTO RICO, September 8.—The Spanish Evacuation Commissioners are disposed to delay the meeting of the Commission. They say their instructions have not yet arrived, but are expected on the Alfonso XIII, in the course of a few days. They intimate that even then they will need time to study them. The American commissioners have replied that the first meeting must occur before September 12th, under the terms of the protocol.

The United States cruiser Cincinnati, Captain Chester, arrived this morning from St. Thomas and saluted the Spanish, and Rear Admiral Schley's pennant. The Spanish forts and warships replied.

To-day being a holiday, the city was covered with Spanish flags and all the shops and banks were closed. Military mass was celebrated in the Catholic churches. Brigadier General Gordon, Rear Admiral Schley and the Americans in the city attended.

GEN. MILES IN WASHINGTON.

Did Not Call at the White House—Will Resume His Duties in the War Department.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 8.—Major General Nelson A. Miles, commanding the army of the United States, accompanied by Mrs. Miles and Colonel Mauss and Colonel Michler, of his staff, arrived here from New York at 6.35 o'clock this evening. General Miles and party came by the Pennsylvania railroad in a private car attached to the regular westbound train. They were met at the Sixth street station by Major Black, a member of General Miles' staff, and Captain Morton, chief clerk in the office of the commanding general.

In anticipation of the arrival of General Miles several hundred people had assembled at the station. A cordon of police officers opened a way through the crowd from the wicket gate, through which the distinguished party passed to the carriage, which stood in waiting at the main entrance. As General Miles stepped from the rear platform of his car he gave a kind greeting to his coachman, a who stood awaiting him, and then handed him a bundle of souvenir canes, while he grasped the hands of Captain Morton, Major Black and two or three newspaper men. He was attired in an unconventional blue serge sack suit and wore a white fibre, broad-brimmed Porto Rican hat. As General Miles passed through the crowd in the station his hands were grasped a score of times by enthusiastic men and women. He gave a cordial greeting to all, and as he and Mrs. Miles and Colonel Michler stepped into the carriage the crowd burst into cheers.

While expressing gratification at the successful termination of the war and his pleasure at once more being at home, General Miles said he had nothing to say at this time in addition to the statement given to the press by him in New York.

From the Pennsylvania station General and Mrs. Miles were conveyed directly to their residence.

General Miles did not leave his home during the evening. It was expected that he would call at the White House, but he said that he had no intention of doing so to-night. He will resume his duties at the headquarters of the army in the War Department to-morrow morning, and will avail himself of an early opportunity to pay his respects to the President.

Shafter Ordered to Washington.

General Shafter has been ordered to Washington. He arrived in New York to-night from Montauk, and will probably come to Washington to-morrow. There is no special significance in his being ordered here. The President desires to see him and talk about the Santiago campaign.

Miles' Criticisms.

The tension over General Miles' criticism of army methods is gradually subsiding, and in high official quarters the belief was expressed to-night that no official attention would be paid to the criticisms. In view of much loose conjecture over the imminence of a court martial or court of inquiry for the trial of General Miles, it can be stated positively that those in authority have not up to the present time determined upon any such course of action, nor have they felt that such steps would be conducive to the best interests of the public service. In some high official quarters there is a disposition to look upon General Miles as being his own worst enemy, and to pass over his comments as ill advised, though not to the extent of constituting insubordination or warranting official action by the President or War Department.

SANTIAGO PROVINCE.

Gen. Lawton's Plans to Conciliate Cuban Insurgents Approved.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—As announced in an Associated Press dispatch from Santiago a few days ago, General Lawton, military governor of Santiago province, will furnish food to such of the Cuban insurgents as lay down their arms and return to their homes. It was also said that he had given employment to such men of the Cuban army as could be utilized. This plan of General Lawton has been approved by the administration. It is believed that his action will have a tendency to turn the Cubans into peaceful walks of life and that if it is extended to other parts of the island much trouble that formerly menaced the government in Cuba will be avoided.

SPANISH PRISONERS.

Will Sail Monday on the City of Paris for Spain.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., September 8.—The Spanish prisoners who had been quartered in the Naval Academy here for several weeks, left at 5.10 this afternoon over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad for New York. The party is in charge of Commodore Paredes, and will reach New York at about midnight. The steamer City of Rome, which has been chartered as a transport, will leave New York to-morrow for Portsmouth, N. H., whence she will sail on Monday for Santander, Spain.

GENERAL PASSENGER AGENTS.

Next Annual Meeting of the Association Will be Held in Detroit.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—W. A. Turk, President of the American Association of General Passenger and Ticket Agents, in response to an inquiry to-day, stated that the rumor that the next annual meeting of the association would be held in Chicago was an error and without foundation; that the next annual meeting will occur October 18th, at the Hotel Cadillac, Detroit, Mich., in accordance with a resolution adopted at the meeting in St. Louis last year.

LEITER WHEAT DEAL.

Every Creditor Paid and Obligations to Banks Cancelled.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—Joseph Leiter has cleared up his famous wheat deal. Every creditor has been paid, obligations to banks whose assistance was enlisted have been cancelled, and 14,000,000 bushels of wheat have been liquidated since the announcement of the voluntary assignment nearly three months ago. This has been done only by great sacrifice, including the giving of mortgages on property belonging to the Leiter estate, aggregating nearly $5,500,000 in value.

A dispatch from the British minister at Pekin Sir Claude M. McDonald, confirms the report that Li Hung Chang has been dismissed at his request.

EXAMINING BIDS AND PLANS.

The Naval Board Undecided As to Awards for Construction of the New Battleships.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—The board of naval bureau chiefs which has been carefully examining the large number of bids and plans submitted by ship builders for the construction of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers, has almost completed that work and within a day or two it is expected will report to acting Secretary Allen a plan of distribution of the awards. According to the decision of the board, W. R. Trigg & Co., of Richmond, Va., will get one or two destroyers and three or four torpedo boats.

The board is now about to turn its attention entirely to a close consideration of the bids recently received for the construction of three battleships. So far, the details of these vessels have only been examined in a cursory manner. But this superficial examination has made it appear that the problem of selecting the best designs is going to be much more difficult than was at first supposed. The bureau chiefs appear to have widely different opinions as to the respective merits of the designs and it is within the bounds of possibility that the department will decide not to make the awards in accordance with the lowest bids. In such case, the Newport News bid, the lowest, would be thrown out and two of the three ships would go to Cramp, the third going to the Union Iron Works. One element in the board favors a rejection of all the bids and the preparation of new plans, but as the adoption of this course probably would delay the letting of contracts until the assembling of Congress and thus imperil the effort of the department to secure further appropriations for ships at the approaching session, it is not likely to prevail.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Boston—Boston, 6; New York, 1.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 2; Baltimore, 5.

Washington—Washington, 5; Philadelphia, 9.

Louisville—Louisville, 9; Cleveland, 7.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati and Chicago, postponed account of G. A. R. parade.

WARM WIRELETS.

Camp Alger is practically a thing of the past. Only a few details remain as guards for government property.

The Republican State Central committee of Maryland elected United States Senator George L. Wellington, chairman, to succeed Senator Norman B. Scott, resigned.

It is officially decided that the relief ship Comal shall remain in Havana harbor with her supplies on board and await further developments. The duty, which amounts to $60,000, will not be paid.

The Memphis, Tenn., grain elevator and the Eagle Mills were totally destroyed by fire last night which started in the elevator from an unknown cause. Total loss $242,000; insurance $75,000.

Former Ambassador Bayard passed an uncomfortable day and last night was much weaker. He has taken but little nourishment during the past twenty-four hours, and is gradually sinking.

The condition of Miss Winnie Davis was not so favorable last night. Notwithstanding the hot weather of late, which has taxed her strength severely, Miss Davis had been improving slightly until to-day.

Huret, the Paris cyclist, won the twenty-four hour cycling race which ended in Berlin last evening, covering 394 kilometers, (about 515 miles 203 yards). C. W. Miller, the American cyclist, gave up the race after several falls.

Mr. J. W. Browne, of Atlanta, was elected President of the United States Railway Service Mutual Benefit Association at the closing session in Atlanta, yesterday. The next meeting will be held in St. Louis, the first Tuesday in October, 1899.

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